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Marion Block Party Honors Zora

By Laura Pedulli

A quintessential community event, the Marion's Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW), Benjamin D. Cushing Post No. 2425's Annual Block Party and Dance, offered a little of something for everyone last Saturday, August 28. Attendees feasted on swordfish kabobs, calamari, fish and chips and clam cakes as children took turns in the moonwalk and climbed a makeshift rock wall. Town residents also took a moment to thank Joseph Zora, a former selectman and staple personality in the community, who originally founded the Block Party event decades ago.

The threat of Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE) forced event organizers to change the usual evening event to a daytime affair. "[EEE] put a curveball on us, but we were pleased with what we saw," reported Steve Gonsalves, the chairperson of the committee who organized the event. Mr. Gonsalves and committee members Joanne Byron, Sue Byron, Debbie Gonsalves, Rodney Hunt, Christine Winters and Peter Winters began planning the event months ago to ensure its success. "We've been working on this for months… it is a big undertaking but everyone came together and got it done," commented Ms. Winters.



Above: *From left to right: Mitchell Midwood, Jeremiah Adams and Cameron Coelho, all of Mattapoisett, and Brett Rudolph of Marion, were members of the Swansea Tigers travel team of the Swansea Independent Baseball League this summer, which posted an 11-6 record in four tournaments and twice traveled to Springfield for competitions. Photo courtesy of Swansea Independent Baseball League.*

On the Cover: *It was a little earlier than usual, but the annual Marion Block Party on August 28, 2010 went off without a hitch. Children enjoyed cotton candy, a bounce house and face-painting, while the grown-ups enjoyed conversation and good weather. It was an appropriate send-off to summer, before Old Rochester schools started back up on September 1. Photos by Felix Perez.*

In addition to food and entertainment, volunteers Terri Santos and VFW Ladies Auxiliary member Joyce McWilliams manned a raffle table to support VFW programs. "They do give a certain amount of dollars to local community needs. That is what's great about this event. It is a great time and money goes to good places," Mr. Gonsalves said.

The time change did affect the atmosphere of the event, but Mr. Gonsalves stressed the importance of keeping the tradition alive. "We worked around it. With these types of traditions, you have to keep them going because if you have lapses, they never come back the same way," he said, urging "young people to step up to the plate" to keep Marion traditions flourishing.

The event also is a testament to volunteerism in the community. More than three quarters of the food at the event derived from donations, Mr. Gonsalves said. Further, the event recognized Mr. Zora with a tree planting and dedication symbolizing his contributions to Marion. "He has truly been Marion's Man of the Year many times over and is still going strong," Mr. Gonsalves said of the man who initiated the event more than 30 years ago. "He is the man behind the dream and this day, and that is why it was very important to let him know we appreciate it, and we'll carry it on for a long time to come," he added.

Both Ms. Winters and Mr. Gonsalves said that attendance levels did drop this year due to the draw of the beach and the water, especially on that sunny Saturday after a long spell of rain. However, Mr. Gonsalves anticipates that the evening setting will be reinstated next year. Thirty years strong, the Marion Block Party and Dance isn't going anywhere.

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Mattapoisett to Establish Aquaculture Regs

By Laura Pedulli

Mattapoisett's recently formed Aquaculture Ad Hoc Committee is on "an aggressive schedule" to draft regulations or bylaws outlining protocol for current and future aquaculture applications, according to Town Administrator Michael Gagne. Such recommendations are slated to reach the Board of Selectmen (BOS), who will make the final determination on what is adopted this December.

Committee members represent interests related to new aquaculture businesses and include applicants and cove abutters. Board members include John Hinman from the Marine Advisory Board, Lisa Winsor, Horace Field III, Horace Field IV, Joyce Almeida, Paul Osenkowski and Jim O'Dowd. Mark Whalen will also advise on the committee as a non-voting member. Ex-officio members will be Mr. Gagne, Harbormaster Steve Mach and Natural Resources Officer Kathy Massey.

Mr. Gagne said the new committee will consider several issues while drafting its recommendations with a focus on establishing firm methods and measures. "They will need to look at the public versus private benefit and what we will use as a system to weigh that," explained Mr. Gagne. He said concern over aesthetics and public recreational access will be factored into their analysis.

Six of the seven members reside in the Brandt Island Beach community, which is near a one-acre oyster farm proposed last spring by the seventh member, Mr. O'Dowd. Mr. O'Dowd emphasized that the committee will not investigate his specific application, however he hopes to educate committee members on aquaculture.

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not an industry," commented Mr. O'Dowd, who said he has pored through "a whole stack" of state regulations, aquaculture bylaws in other towns, and information from the East Coast Growers' Association on the practice. "People hear different things and don't really understand what the whole thing is about. It's a little frustrating. If people are educated, they can make informed decisions," he said.

One issue the committee will tackle is the identification of suitable areas for aquaculture while balancing the interests of commercial shellfish businesses and general public recreational users, Mr. Gagne said. In addition to oysters, potential new applicants could pursue aquaculture businesses for quahogs, clams, and scallops,

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which require different environmental conditions favorable for growth. Mr. O'Dowd noted that aqua culturists tend to research at length potential locations for their businesses. "You can't go into this blind. You'll end up with dead animals," he said.

How the town will benefit from aquaculture enterprises also will be studied at length. Mr. Gagne said that businesses on water do pay state taxes but do not contribute at the municipal level. Thus, members will evaluate if a leasing fee should be established to benefit the town and how that fee would be related to revenue potential. Transferability of licenses is another issue under consideration. "It could become a great money making venture," Mr. Gagne said, stressing the need for protocol to establish the sale of a thriving aquaculture business to a new party. State regulations do require that individuals seeking to purchase an aquaculture business receive approval from a town's BOS.

Mr. Gagne said new protocol also would include a pre-application assessment and assurance that proposed locations meet the requirements of the Division of Marine Fisheries. "It is a waste of time to have a three-hour emotionally charged meeting only to find the Division of Marine Fisheries would not allow the proposal," he said.

Committee meetings, scheduled to occur every two weeks, are open to the public and will begin sometime in early September. "I'm hoping we can get through this with some real objectivity and develop a really good framework for aquaculture in Mattapoisett," Mr. O'Dowd said.

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By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

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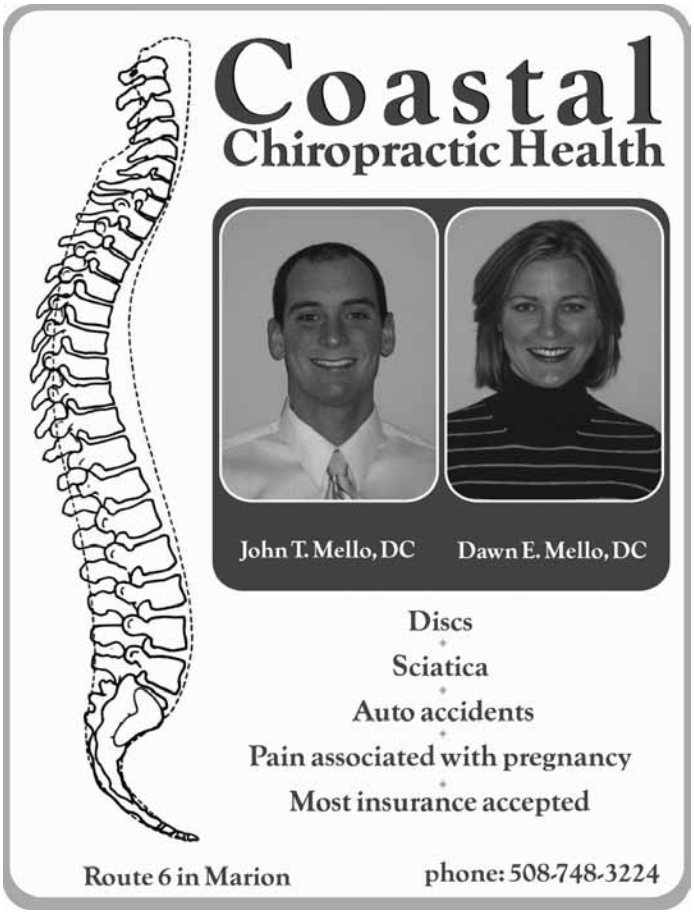
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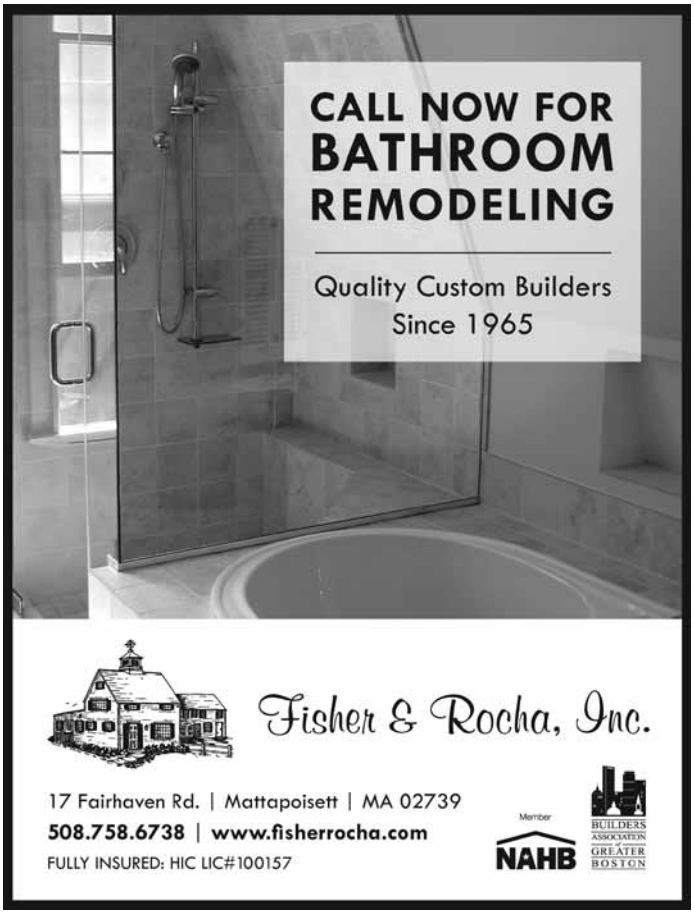
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Marion Concert Season Wraps Up

By Laura Pedulli

The Marion Concert Band wrapped up its popular summer series last Monday with tunes by the film composer John Williams. Unlike previous years, music lovers did not listen to the orchestra under a blanket of stars, but inside the Sippican Elementary School due to the threat of Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE).

"I've been involved with the Marion Concert Band since 1974, and I never remember anything like this happening before," said conductor Tobias Monte. The upside of an indoor performance meant fewer bugs and more comfortable seats for attendees of the free show. However, the unique atmosphere of an outdoor show was lost. "It wasn't bad, but it wasn't quite what it was supposed to be," said Mr. Monte. "The biggest difference is that no kids were running around."

The first four Marion Concert Shows – one at the beach and three at Island Wharf – went on as planned during the mid-summer. However, on July 28 the Board of Health contacted Mr. Monte about the need to change venues. Mr. Monte investigated the Music Hall, but the stage could not accommodate the entire concert band, which includes more than 45 musicians. One show did not go on as planned due to the unexpected logistical challenge.

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in the school department was very accommodating of the unusual situation. They made it work," Mr. Monte said, noting that Principal Lyn Rivet, Facilities Director Steve Murphy and Town Administrator Paul Dawson in particular helped facilitate the arrangement. In addition, he said Hannah Moore – Sippican School's Band Director and a member of the Marion Concert Band – provided critical assistance with the logistics due to her familiarity with the school's facilities.

Surprisingly, the venue change did not affect attendance levels. "The numbers were fairly comparable, which was a pleasant surprise to me," Mr. Monte reported. He also recalled an impressionable moment when attendees stacked their own chairs at the end of the





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Heritage Days Canceled Outright

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

After a mid-August Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE) scare in mid-August canceled and postponed most outdoor evening events, the annual Mattapoisett Heritage Days were rescheduled for mid-September. Now, Chairperson of the Heritage Days committee, Bobbi Gaspar, has announced that the 2010 Heritage Days have been canceled outright.

Part of the reason for the cancelation was the continued threat of EEE in the southeastern Massachusetts region. Despite the recent aerial spray that temporarily reduced the adult mosquito population, the threat of EEE remains significant. Both the Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH) and the local Boards of Health in Mattapoisett, Marion and Rochester are enforcing a 6:00 pm curfew on town activities until the first hard frost comes to the region.

Heritage Days has been an August tradition since the town's sesquicentennial in 2007, when the event was born. The Heritage Days committee tries to make a week of fun, family-friendly events available to the public at low-to-no cost. These events celebrate Mattapoisett's past, and showcase all of the thriving industries of the region's yesteryear.

The EEE postponement created an issue with vendor and event availability. Some of the events scheduled for Heritage Days – like the kite fly, the ecumenical service at Ned's Point and the Salt and Cranberries presentation planned for the Museum and Carriage House – were easy enough to reschedule. Other events, like the Fairhaven Militia encampment on the Mattapoisett River and the American Legion clambake that were supposed to coincide with Heritage Days activities couldn't be rescheduled. The organizers had difficulty getting vendors to reschedule as well, leading Ms. Gaspar to call the postponement "impractical."

"It was hard to let go," said Ms. Gaspar. The event was all set to go forward, despite the Board of

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Not wanting to operate at a loss, the Heritage Days committee started to consider a cancelation, since they feared that the threat of EEE would affect turn-out anyway. "We thought people aren't going to come out because of the mosquitoes," said Ms. Gaspar, "so we opted to cut our losses, basically. We run on a no-budget kind of thing."

Heritage Days is a fairly new town tradition, and Ms. Gaspar hopes that the event's absence for one year won't remove it from the minds of residents. "The ideas for next year are already bubbling," she said, urging people to get excited for Heritage Days 2011, and

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encouraging residents to even consider volunteering for the event and its preparation.

The t-shirts for the 2010 Heritage Days are still available though, and Ms. Gaspar thinks that they may be considered collector's items for local Heritage Days enthusiasts. Those interested in purchasing a t-shirt can do so by emailing Ms. Gaspar at theseamstress@verizon.net. Anyone interested in volunteering for the Heritage Days committee can also email Ms. Gaspar.

Next year's Heritage Days will take place from August 5-7, 2011, and will include some of the canceled events from this year, plus other new events.

Marion Aquaculture Project Continued

Marion Conservation Commission

By Joan Hartnett-Barry

A meeting of the Marion Conservation Commission was held on Wednesday, August 25, and called to order at 7:00 pm by Chairman Norman A. Hills. Also present were members Lawrence B. Doman, Wendy Carreau, Sherman E. Briggs Jr., and Secretary Diane R. Drake.

The first order of business was a notice of intent filed by Lawrence E. Reinhart to construct a single-family dwelling, a septic system, a driveway, and associated filling and grading at Lot 70 East Avenue, Planting Island. Rick Charon of Charon Associates represented the applicant. Mr. Charon presented a revised site plan,

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which involved a dwelling with a 35-foot elevation with a drive in garage on the first floor. In order to avoid driving over the septic system, a gravel pathway will be used to access the garage. Details of the leaching field and other issues were discussed. ConCom asked about the water runoff from the roof and requested that "drip strips" or dry wells be used to manage the roof runoff.

Another issue raised by the ConCom was that the current plan has water running off onto the adjoining lot, which is also owned by the applicant. If the property was sold in the future, the water runoff onto the lot might become an issue with a new owner. "Let's do all we can, now, to avoid a future problem," said Mr. Briggs. The committee requested a revised plan to see how the water

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runoff issues would be addressed. The Commission voted to continue the hearing until the September 8 ConCom meeting.

The next order of business was a notice of intent by Catherine A. Brodeur to establish two 100-by-220-foot aquaculture projects – one off the north side of Ram Island and one off the easterly tip or "spit" of Planting Island. Ms. Brodeur and Bill Madden of G.A.F. Engineering addressed the committee in regards to the application. A request was made to approve the plans for both locations as Phase 1 and Phase 2.

The Ram Island project is a half-acre, 22,000 square foot area marked by four moorings connected by large poly balls. A series of bags that run between the floats are suspended and hung from a grid held together with chains. According to Mr. Madden, nothing will be submerged, no bottom disturbances will occur and the water quality should improve due to the "filter feeder" type of shellfish to be grown there. The committee noted that they were awaiting a report from the National Heritage and Endangered Species Program regarding an impact study on local wildlife, such as terrapin turtles, that needed to be reviewed. The Board voted to continue the hearing until their September 8 meeting.

The next order of business was a discussion of a request to raze and replace the existing shed at 3 Main Street, renovate and modify the dwelling, and make site improvements, including landscaping. Dave Davignon

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of Schnieder Associates represented the applicant. Mr. Davignon noted that the majority of work to be done was cosmetic, and included enclosing an existing porch, resurfacing the driveway with pea stone and extending it to the back of the house and repointing of the seawall. Several small bump-outs off the footprint were included to install and "square up" several bay windows. No work would be within 50 feet of the buffer zone, noted Mr. Davignon. Some trees and shrubs will be removed. The committee voted to approve and closed the hearing.

The next item discussed was a request by John Ludes to confirm that the stream running through 135 Converse Road is an Intermittent Stream. Dave Davignon, of Schnieder Associates accompanied Mr. Ludes. Photos

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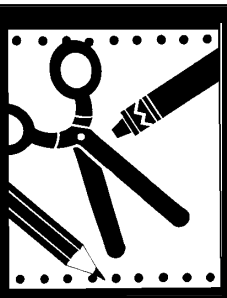
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of the area of the stream, taken on four consecutive days in early July 2010, were presented along with an aerial view of the stream, which flows into Sippican Harbor when active. It was agreed that the area was dry. It was noted that the property contains two lots, which Mr. Ludes plans to combine into one lot. The combined lots would allow ample room for a dwelling, with a water view, to be built if placed on the upland knoll on the property. The stream discussed, runs through both lots. The committee voted to approve the request and closed the hearing.

An appointment with John and Craig Lawrence for discussion regarding work in the buffer zone to wetlands at 5 Pawkechatt Way was rescheduled for the September 8 meeting.

In further business, Sherman Briggs handed out an "Informal Project Review Form," used by the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission, which he thought the committee should review and consider using. The board agreed to review it and discuss it at another meeting.

In other business, minutes of prior meetings were approved.

The board voted to adjourn at 8:33 pm.

State Waives EIR for Bay Watch Project

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

Developers of a 168-unit affordable housing complex, "Marion Village Estates," will not have to complete a full Environmental Impact Report (EIR), said the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in a report filed on August 20, 2010.

In their report, the Massachusetts Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs (MEPA), claimed that since the "project has been reduced in size, and associated environmental impacts have decreased correspondingly," the project's developer, Bay Watch Realty, will not have to complete the full EIR.

At a special August 4 meeting, the Marion Board of Selectmen discussed the developer's request for reduced environmental impact requirements. Since the project falls under the scope of 40B, the project's


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authorization and ultimate approval comes from the state. After hearing from several citizens, who cited concerns about vernal pools and illegal clear-cutting allegedly committed by Bay Watch, the Board decided to have Town Counsel Jon Whitten draft up a letter to the state urging them to uphold the full EIR, despite reductions in the scope of the project.

In addition to environmental impact, opponents of the project cited concerns about impact to the town's burdened water infrastructure and feared that the project would increase their already high taxes.

In a Notice of Project certificate (NPC) signed by MEPA secretary Ian Bowles, the preparer of the document stated, "Because the project's impacts have decreased and



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several previously-identified issues have been resolved, I find that the project as currently proposed does not warrant the preparation of an EIR. I am confident that outstanding issues related to wetlands impacts and wastewater can be addressed through state and local permitting."

The project, which is slated for construction on the Route 105 portion of Front Street, was originally filed as a 192-unit project with 425 parking spaces on 26.5 acres of land. The new project calls for 168 units with 299 parking spaces on 22.7 acres of land. The site is located within an Aquifer Protection District, but this district was not established until after Bay Watch's initial project application.

The report from the state said that 25 percent of the project site will remain undeveloped, and the state urged the developer to consider placing a conservation restriction on that undeveloped portion.

The state requires that 10 percent of all housing in local communities be made affordable – that is, reserved for residents who make less than 80 percent of the median annual salary. Chapter 40B was established in 1969 to ensure communities work to achieve this 10 percent goal, giving jurisdiction to the state to ensure cooperation until the town reaches its requirement. Marion is currently at 4.3 percent for affordable housing inventory, and according to Town Administrator Paul Dawson, the Marion Village Estates project might bring the town up

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to the 10 percent threshold, but that number would have to be ultimately determined by the State Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD). If DHCD follows their usual formula, said Mr. Dawson, then Marion Village Estates would likely fulfill Marion's affordable housing quota.

Despite the fact that the Board of Selectmen voted to uphold the EIR requirement, they expressed support for the project, which they labeled "workforce housing." They hoped that the project would enable the Marion workforce – including teachers, police officers and firefighters – to live in the same community they serve.

A statewide ballot initiative is challenging Chapter 40B this year. On November 2, Massachusetts voters will have the chance to repeal 40B, reverting affordable housing jurisdiction to a local level.

Police Station Work is "Making Progress"

By Anne O'Brien-Kakley

Work at the Mattapoisett police station is coming along nicely, according to police chief Mary Lyons on

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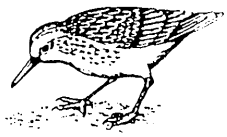
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August 30. "We're making progress," said Chief Lyons, who listed electrical work and a transfer of 911 services as the remaining projects before the station can re-open. She said the process would likely take about two weeks.

The Mattapoisett police station has been closed since May 28, when a water pipe on the second floor burst and sent water cascading throughout the first and second floor. The building's damage was "extensive," according to Chief Lyons, and the building's first floor was completely gutted. Damage on the second floor was mostly limited to floor damage.

Since the pipe disaster three months ago, the police station has been operating out of the Plymouth County Sheriff's Department Mobile Command Center with some assistance from the Fairhaven police department.

Students Return to Transformed RMS

By Laura Pedulli

Rochester Memorial School (RMS) students will return to a transformed landscape this week, witnessing the result of the first major phase of construction for RMS's $26.5 million renovation and expansion project.

"I'm very, very excited," said school Principal Jay Ryan. "The entire construction crew worked miracles all summer. It's amazing the amount they got done." Mr. Ryan was confident that despite rumors, RMS would open as planned with few hassles for new and returning

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In addition, the existing school was gutted out and renovated extensively. According to Town Facilities Michael Meunier, who is overseeing the project, renovations included new seismic bracing and diagonal steel beams, the addition of HVAC and water lines, new heating pipes, a new sprinkler system for the cafeteria and gymnasium, and technology and electrical upgrades. He said the crews scrubbed, waxed and painted the interior to get the building in tip-top shape for returning students. Future improvements include the addition of a music room on the northeast corner of the building.

"I'm glad I'm on the job to make sure the town gets the most bang for its buck," said Mr. Meunier. "We are working with great people and we have checks and balances to make sure things get done correctly," he

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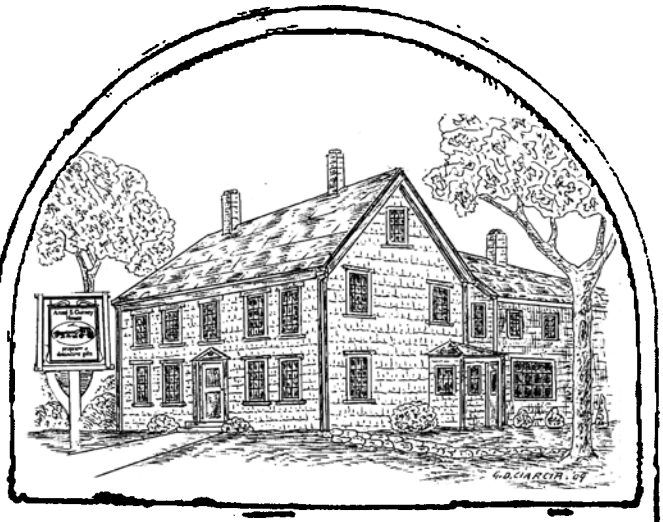
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Town Administrator Richard LaCamera also expressed satisfaction with the pace and quality of the work. "The project has gone extremely well. I'm happy with what we've accomplished over the summer. I'm so excited about the pre cast addition that will be set in January. Things have gone really well," he said.

The project will continue with the old section's renovation during school vacations over the next year, and has a projected finish date of September 2011.

Letters to the Editor

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It has been 45 years now since it was first recommended that Mattapoisett do something to protect its wetlands. It was in 1965 that Mattapoisett's Master Plan recommended "town conservation of all wetlands and drainage ways".

In 1989, the town's Growth Management Committee urged adoption of "local wetland regulations." In 1995, the Coalition for Buzzard's Bay recommended the town "improve wetlands protection through the adoption of a local Wetlands Protection by-law which includes provisions for the maintenance of vegetated buffer strips between developed areas and adjacent wetlands."

Several town meetings ago, a citizens' non-binding petition asking the Conservation Committee to come forward at the next annual town meeting with a wetlands protection by-law passed by a vote of 72-18. That request was ignored.

Now at this year's special town meeting, it is hoped voters will finally get a chance to enact comprehensive wetlands protection regulations. This should have been done generations ago. In the meantime, our wetlands – so vital to preserve groundwater resources

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For several months now, at out request, the Coalition for Buzzard's Bay has been guiding in drafting the necessary regulations to protect wetlands and buffer zones. The next hurdle will be gathering more than 100 signatures to place the matter on the October warrant.

To ease that chore, the Mattapoisett Land Trust has given permission to make use of the Dunseith parking area (the home of Salty the Seahorse at the corner of Route 6 and North Street) on Friday, September 3 from 4:00 to 6:00 pm and Saturday, September 4 from 9:00 am to noon, to gather signatures. Otherwise, potential signers should call 508-758-3579 to make arrangements.

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To the Editor:

The Elizabeth Taber Library wrapped up this summer's program for children, "Go Green," on Thursday, August 5 with an End-of-the-Summer-Program Ice Cream Sundae Social.

Children 2-12 years old enjoyed storytimes, crafts, reading games, story tellers, a magic show, a fairy house building workshop, a pocket making workshop and drop-in activities over the course of seven weeks. Attendance for the summer program totaled 1,719. It was especially exciting, with the help of donations from a local sponsor and the Sippican Woman's Club, to "Read for a Good Cause." Each hour participants spent reading equaled $1 to support the work of Heifer International. Our readers were able to purchase one goat, one sheep, a flock of chickens, a trio of rabbits, honeybees and a hive to help needy families become self sufficient.

I would like to thank all of the participants (and parents, grandparents, baby-sitters, and nannies!) involved in our program, along with our eleven junior volunteers: Anthea Andrade, Alex Friedman, Lauren Gonsalves, Emily Cronin, MacKenzie Larkin, Aryana Hartley, Rachel Brealt, Julia Pardo, Christopher Savino, Ari and Bailey Sweet as well as our ever enthusiastic Library Director, Judith Kleven, and staff members Donna Ohlman and Peg Riley, and also Elizabeth Leidhold, Director of the Marion Natural History Museum.

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kind support to the library's summer reading program. I hope everyone enjoyed the library's summer program and the delights of summer reading as much as I did!
Rosemary Grey
Elizabeth Taber Library

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Ideas for features, breaking news tips, and other suggestions for the news department are welcome. Please call the News Editor with news tips and ideas at 508-758-9055. If it is after hours, please leave a message.

Angelica Yacht Club Results

Following are the results for the Angelica Yacht Club races held on Sunday, **August 1:**

• **Beginners:** (Race 1) First Place, Aimee Hill; Second Place, Colby Ciffollilo Third Place, Kindler McLaughlin (Race 2) First Place, Lizzie Machado; Second Place, Riley Knight; Third Place, Matthew McCarthy Congratulations to the other beginner racers, PJ, Paul Messina, Coleman, Deklin, Chris.

• **Juniors**: (Race 1) First Place, Brandon Blaesser;

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• **Open:** (Race 1) First Place, Scott Metz; Second Place, Craig Correia; Third Place, Daniel Warren (Race 2) First Place, Brandon Blaesser; Second Place, Scott Metz; Third Place, Daniel Warren.

Following are the results for the Angelica Yacht Club races held on Sunday, **August 8**:

• **Beginners:** No races were held due to weather.

• **Juniors**: (Race 1) First Place, Danielle Arpino; Second Place, Chace Correia; Third Place, Mary-Grace Petrie (Race 2) First Place, Danielle Arpino; Second Place, Chace Correia; Third Place, Mary-Grace Petrie (Race 3) First Place, Danielle Arpino; Second Place, Chace Correia; Third Place, Jessica Arpino.

• **Open**: (Race 1) First Place, Jack Hill; Second Place, Mark Arpino; Third Place, Len Murphy (Race 2) First Place, Mark Arpino; Second Place, Jack Hill; Third Place, Randy Hill.

Following are the results for the Angelica Yacht Club races held on Sunday, **August 15**:

• **Beginners:** (Race 1) First Place, Aimee Hill; Second Place, Colby Ciffollilo, Third Place, Kindler McLaughlin (Race 2) First Place, Lizzie Machado; Second Place, Riley Knight; Third Place, Matthew McCarthy. Congratulations to the other beginner racers, PJ, Paul Messina, Coleman, Deklin, Chris.

• **Juniors:** (Race 1) First Place, Brandon Blaesser; Second Place, Carolyn Petrie; Third Place, Lenny Murphy.

• **Open**: (Race 1) First Place, Scott Metz; Second Place, Craig Correia; Third Place, Daniel Warren (Race 2) First Place, Brandon Blaesser; Second Place, Scott Metz; Third Place, Daniel Warren.

Get Ready for the Halloween Contests!

Can you believe it? It's almost time for Halloween! Once again, *The Wanderer* is hosting two annual Halloween Contests to get you into the spooky spirit!

• **Contest 1 – The Halloween Story Contest** – Write a story, and maybe even win a prize! During the month of October, *The Wanderer* prints Halloween stories submitted by our readers and the writer of the best story

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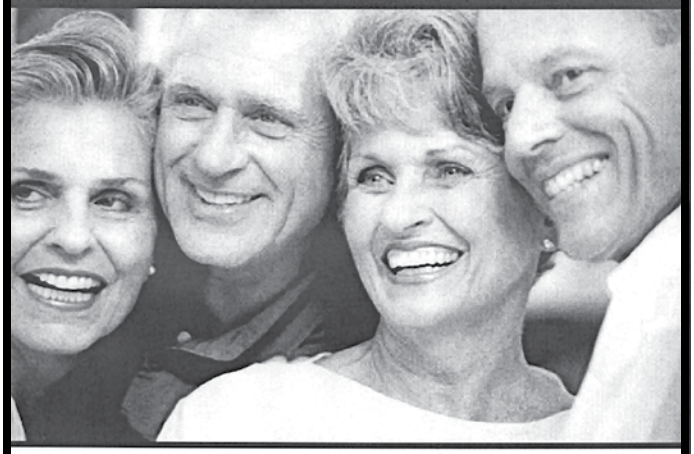
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• **Contest 2 – The Halloween Cover Contest** – Your best Halloween artwork could be on the cover of *The Wanderer* and you could win a great prize! Submit your best original Halloween drawing, photo, compilation or artwork to enter for publication on our October 28 cover.

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• **Halloween Gift Basket** – Every person who votes in the cover contest will be entered to win a Wanderer Halloween gift basket, which will include Wanderer wear and aardvark items. Be sure to vote for your favorite cover from October 16 to 25 on our website: www.wanderer.com.

• ***The Fine Print*** – All entries must include a signed copy of the Official Entry Form, which can be picked up at *The Wanderer* office: 55 County Road, Mattapoisett. Entry forms can also be downloaded at www.Wanderer.com (click on "Halloween Contest").

All entries must be original. Stories must be previously unpublished and cover entries must contain completely original artwork and/or photos. No copied items, including traced clip art, will be considered for the contest. A full list of rules and regulations can be found at www.Wanderer.com. For more information, call our office, 508-758-9055.

Windfall Kick-Starts COA Program

The Rochester Council on Aging (COA) was notified last week that they have been named in the last will and testament of Edward and Louise Wheeler,

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According to Sharon Lally, Director of the COA, the gift came at the right time, as the Council on Aging's Board of Directors is in the midst of a campaign to raise funds for a Senior Supportive Day Program. Grant applications for the start-up of the operation are in process

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and have been submitted, but this donation will kick-start construction on the 800 square-foot addition.

Ms. Lally said that the Task Force had been struggling to come up with the perfect name for the new day program, and says that "The Wheelers Day Club" is the perfect name for such a program. "We at the Senior Center are all so very grateful and humbled to be remembered by the Wheelers in this very personal and touching way," said Ms. Lally.

The campaign goes on. The COA, through its fundraising arm, "The Friends of the Rochester Senior Center", is hoping to raise up to $300,000 through grants and donations to construct this addition, and hopes to open the day program within the year. If anyone would like to contribute to this cause, the COA will gladly and gratefully accept your contribution in any amount, large or small. Every dollar counts. This is an opportunity to help our seniors remain safely in the community, in their own home, with additional support, stimulation, socialization, and daily supervision.

Once up and running, this Day Program will have a fee for service, and will be self-sustaining through generated fees and third party reimbursements, such as a contract through our local agency for aging, Coastline Elderly Services, Inc. A scholarship program is also planned for those who could benefit from attending the day program additional days of the week. The Senior Supportive Day program is the most cost-effective solution to allow seniors to remain living safely at home in their community with supervision and socialization.

Donations to the program may be made to The Friends of the Rochester Senior Center, 67 Dexter Lane, Rochester, MA 02770. For more information, call Sharon Lally at 508-763-8723, or email director.rcoa@comcast.net.

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Marion Republican Town Committee

The Marion Republican Town Committee will conduct its next monthly meeting on Tuesday, **September 7** at 7:00 pm at the Marion Music Hall, 164 Front Street, Marion. New members are welcome.

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• **Basketball League** – Evaluations for the Tri-Town Grades 7 and 8 Recreational Basketball League will be held on Thursday, **September 23**. Grade 7 Boys will take place 5:30 to 6:15 pm and Grade 8 Boys will take place 6:30 to 7:15 pm.

Grade 7 and 8 Girls will take place from 7:30 to 8:15 pm. Once teams are made, the league cannot accept new players. The league is always in need of volunteers to coach. Please email Gretchen MacDonald if you are interested: ddgmac@aol.com.

Marion COA News

The Marion Council on Aging (COA) announces the following September events:

• **Podiatry Clinic** – The next podiatry clinic will be held on **September 27** beginning at 1:00 pm. Appointments are needed.

• **Farmer's Market Trip** – The Marion COA van will be traveling to the Westport Farmers Market on **September 11**. Please call the office to reserve your spot on the van: 508-748-3570.

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The American Cancer Society's Relay For Life of Tri-Town wrapped up the 2010 season on August 31. This year, Relay raised over $69,000 to support cancer survivors, patient services, research and advocacy, thanks to those that supported this great event. The Relay for Life organizers are always in need of volunteers to organize and recruit teams, seek community support, coordinate logistics, find refreshments and prizes, plan entertainment and lend their support in any way. If you would like to learn more about Relay For Life of Tri-Town event please contact Tri-Chairpersons, Caryn Hodges Coulombe at 508-989-7805, or Carol Lareau at 508-758-9229 or Heather Ruel at 508-758-8017.

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Tri-Town Players Wrap Up Season

Four Tri-Town 12-year-olds – three from Mattapoisett and one from Marion – were prominent members of the Swansea Tigers travel team sponsored by the Swansea Independent Baseball League which enjoyed a productive campaign this summer.

Mattapoisett residents Mitchell Midwood, Cameron Coelho and Jeremiah Adams, along with Marion resident Brett Rudolph, helped the Tigers finish with an 11-6 record this year in four tournaments – two local, one state and one regional. Swansea placed first in the Dighton Youth Baseball All-Star Tournament; second in the Massachusetts State Tournament of the Pee Wee Reese Division of the American Amateur Baseball Congress held in Springfield; tied for fifth in the AABC's North Atlantic Region Tournament, also staged in Springfield; and tied for fifth in the John B. Steele Memorial Tournament in Dartmouth.

Midwood, Coelho, Adams and Rudolph all participated this spring for the SIBL's 12-and-Under AAU Baseball entry, which finished second in its division. The quartet also played for the regular-season Red Sox, who ended second in the SIBL's Bronco Division American

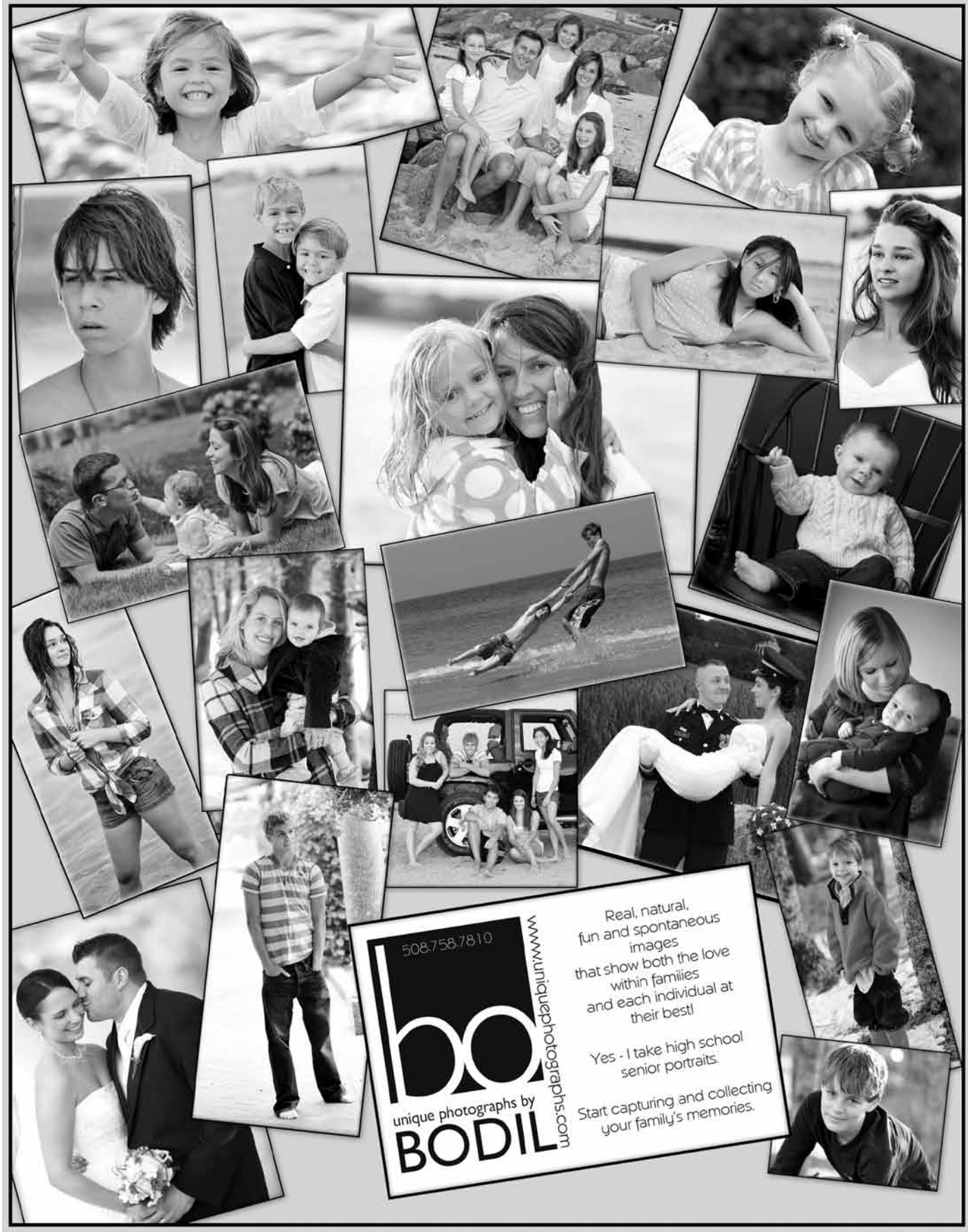
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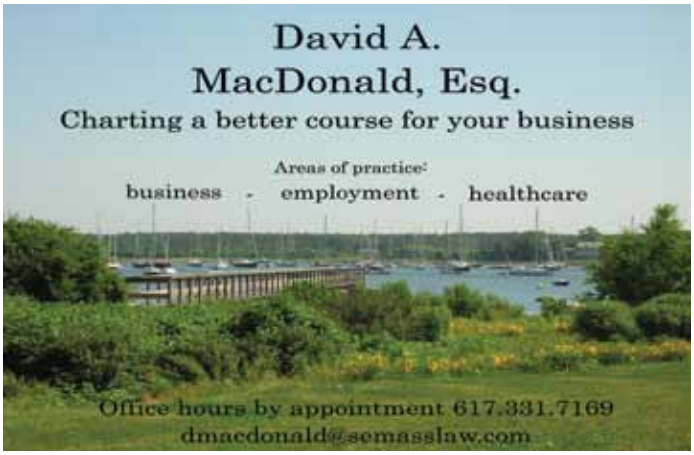
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Mattapoisett Museum and Carriage House

• **Annual Meeting** – The Mattapoisett Historical Society annual meeting will take place on Sunday afternoon, **September 19** at 2:00 pm at the Museum and Carriage House, 5 Church Street in Mattapoisett. Members, as well as the public, are invited to attend this meeting. The agenda will include reports from the president and curator, the treasurer's report, an update on the status of the Clifford Ashley mural, election of persons to fill vacancies on the Board of Directors, and any other such business to come before the membership. Following the business meeting, refreshments and cake will be served.

• **Closed for the Season** – The Mattapoisett Museum and Carriage House is now closed for the season. If you wish to exchange one of the Museum's incorrect calendars, please call 508-758-2844 and the Museum will arrange for an exchange.

In addition to the special summer exhibit are the museum's on-going exhibits of items from Mattapoisetts' past. The Museum is located at 5 Church Street in Mattapoisett.

American Legion Post 280 News

The monthly meeting of the American Legion Florence Eastman Post 280 is held on the third Wednesday

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of each month at the post hall at 3 Depot Street at 7:00 pm. This month's meeting is scheduled for **September 15**.

All members are welcome to attend. The post has invited eleven newly arrived veterans who currently have their membership with other posts, to attend our September meeting in the hopes that they will consider a transfer to Post 280. The board is always looking for new ideas and input as to how we can better serve our fellow veterans and the Tri-Town communities.

The meeting will include a discussion of the March 6 Spaghetti Dinner, which will have to be moved to a later date in March due to a scheduling conflict with the Brockton VA.

Information on the meetings, programs and hall rentals may be obtained by calling 508-758-9311.

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Come join the Mattapoisett Congregational Church's Fall Foliage Tour on Saturday, **October 2**. Travel will be by luxury motor coach with onboard facilities and TV. The morning ride will traverse the Blackstone Valley on Route 146 along I-190 to the Mohawk Trail. Upon crossing the breathtaking French King Bridge, there will be a spectacular view of the North Quabbin Reservoir. Lunch will be served in the heart of Vermont at the Dorset Inn. Following lunch, the coach will stop at the Hildene Artisan/Craft Festival in Manchester, Vermont.

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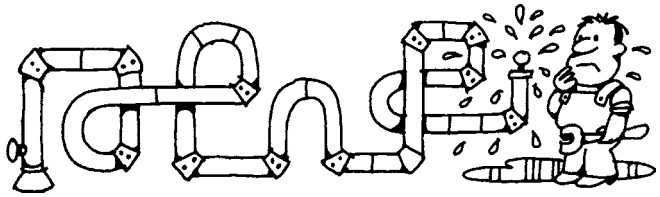
Harvest Moon Dance

The Wampanoag Council 15 Harvest Moon Dance will take place on Saturday, **September 18**, 2010 at 7:00 pm in the Redman Hall, located on Main Street in Wareham. The dance, which is the annual fundraiser for the Wampanoag Council's scholarship, will include a BBQ chicken dinner, followed by entertainment and dancing. Cost is $13 per person. For more information and to purchase tickets, call Darlene at 508-748-0132.

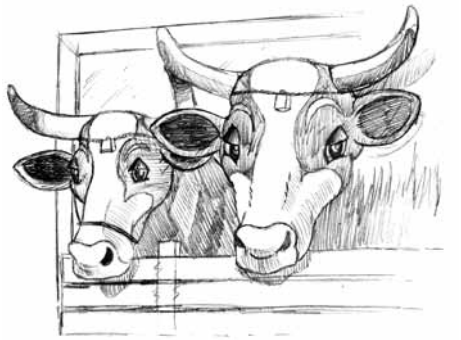
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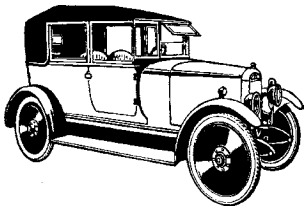
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• Monday, **September 13**: 9:00 Garden Club; 9:00 SHINE; 12:00 Fitness with Karen; 12:30 Fairhaven Marts; 1:00 Scrabble.

• Tuesday, **September 14**: 8:30 Yoga; 8:30 Stop and Shop; 9:30 Public Health Nurse; AARP Safe Drivers Course all day.

• Wednesday, **September 15**: 10:00 Zumba Gold; 12:00 Fitness with Karen; 1:30 Bingo..... $5 Lunch: Meatloaf (RSVP by September 13).

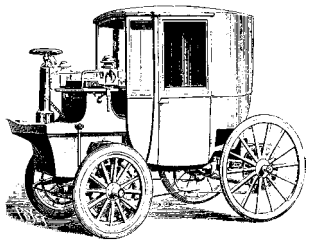
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• Tuesday, **September 21**: 8:30 Yoga; 8:30 Stop and Shop; 9:30 Public Health Nurse; Morning trip to Trader Joe's and Hanover Mall.

• Wednesday, **September 22**: 10:00 Zumba Gold; 12:00 Fitness with Karen; 1:30 Bingo $5 Lunch: Sheppard's Pie (RSVP by September 20).

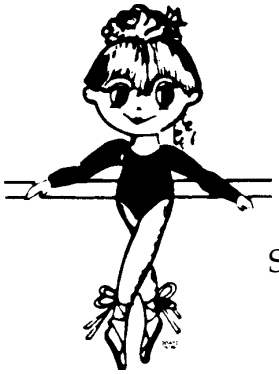
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• Friday, **September 24**: 8:30 Yoga; 8:30 Shaws;

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• Odyssey Cabaret Cruise with plated lunch October 6. $45 for cruise, meal and van.

• Dinner trip to Providence. **October 7**, Opa restaurant. Call for reservations.

Raise the Roof Gala

Buzzards Bay Area Habitat for Humanity invites you to "Raise the Roof" for a great cause! Buzzards Bay Area Habitat for Humanity, with help from our sponsors, will open the doors of the Marion Music Hall to the community for the "2010 Raise the Roof Gala and Auction" on **September 17** from 6:00 to 9:00 pm.

Join BBHFH for a night of live music and great food, while contributing to Habitat's efforts to build homes for those in need. The Gala will help to raise funds for people in need of a safe, affordable place to live. As

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Sunday Sept. 5, 2010
6:30 AM – Words of Peace
7:00 AM – Second Coming Church
8:00 AM – New Testament Church of Cedarville
9:00 AM – Music and the Spoken Word
9:30 AM – The First Congregational Church of Rochester
11:00 AM – Physician Focus
11:30 AM – White House Chronicle
2:00 PM – Music and the Spoken Word
2:30 PM – The First Congregational Church of Rochester
4:00 PM – New Testament Church of Cedarville
5:00 PM – Words of Peace
5:30 PM – Veterans Helping Veterans
6:00 PM – White House Chronicle
6:30 PM – Army Newswatch
7:00 PM - Physician Focus
7:30 PM - The Jazz Room Live
8:00 PM - The Sippican Historical Society Presents
9:30 PM – The New Thinking about Aging
Midnight – Midnight Movie

Monday Sept. 6, 2010
8:00 AM – Senior Scene
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM – Arts and Ideas
9:30 AM – Fox Robbins Business Show
10:00 AM – Cancer Story
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Senior Stretch
3:00 PM – Words of Peace
3:30 PM – Expedition New England
4:00 PM – New England Outdoor Life
5:00 PM – Reeling – The Movie Review Show
5:30 PM - ORCTV August 2010 Youth Video Camp Projects
6:00 PM – Become Your Own Gym
8:00 PM – Sharing Miracles
8:30 PM – Physician's Focus
9:00 PM – New England Outdoor Life
10:00 PM - Smart Boating
10:30 PM – Life Matters
11:00 PM – Get Connected with Conn Jackson
11:30 PM – Animal House
Midnight – Midnight Movie

Tuesday Sept. 7, 2010
8:00 AM – Go Fish with Dan Kenny
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM – Graceful Aging
9:30 AM – ORCTV's Non Profit Highlights
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Senior Stretch
3:00PM - The New Thinking about Aging
6:00 PM – Second Act
6:30 PM – The Dr. Is In
7:00 PM – Senior Scene
7:30 PM - ORCTV's Nonprofit Highlights
8:00 PM – Inside ORCTV
9:00 PM – Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
10:30 PM – If Plants Could Talk
Midnight – Midnite Mausoleum

Wednesday Sept. 8, 2010
8:00 AM – Homefront
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM – Gardening Rhythms
9:30 AM – The Dr. Is In
10:00 AM – Cooking With Marie
10:30 AM - Living Healthy – with Jackie Bell
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Senior Stretch
4:00 PM – Midweek Politics with David Pakman
5:00 PM – Smart Boating
5:30 PM – Go Fish with Dan Kenney
6:00 PM – Become Your Own Gym
7:00 PM – White House Chronicle
7:30 PM - Fox Robbins Business Show
8:00 PM – Midweek Politics with David Pakman
9:00 PM – Cancer Story
10:00 PM – Future Talk
10:30 PM – Life Matters
11:00 PM – 30 Odd Minutes
Midnight – Midnight Movie
1:30 AM – Sci-Fi Journal

Thursday Sept. 9, 2010
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM - ORCTV August 2010 Youth Video Camp Projects
10:30 AM - Kids a Cookin'
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Senior Stretch
5:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
6:30 PM – Inside ORCTV
7:00 PM – Reeling – The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM – The Cooking Hour
8:30 PM - Music
9:00 PM – Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
11:00 PM – Music
Midnight – Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
2:00 AM – Midnight Mausoleum

Friday Sept. 10, 2010
8:00 AM – ORCTV Non-Profit Highlights
8:30 AM - Peek-a-Boo Turtle
9:00 AM – Gardening Rhythms
9:30 AM – Fox Robbins Business Show
10:00 AM – Cooking With Marie
10:30 AM - Living Healthy – with Jackie Bell
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Peek-a-Boo Turtle
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Senior Stretch
5:30 PM – ORCTV August 2010 Youth Video Camp Projects
7:00 PM – Fox Robbins Business Show
7:30 PM – Living Healthy – with Jackie Bell
8:00 PM – New England Outdoor Life
8:30 PM - The Jazz Room Live
9:00 PM – Veterans Helping Veterans
10:30 PM - ORCTV's Non Profit Highlights
11:00 PM – 30 Odd Minutes
11:30 PM – The Steve Katsos Show
Midnight – Friday Night at the Drive-In - Midnight Movies

Saturday Sept. 11, 2009
8:00 AM – Classic Cartoon Festival
10:30 AM – NASA 360
11:00 AM – Expedition New England
11:30 AM – Kids a Cookin'
Noon – Inside ORCTV
12:30 PM – ORCTV Non-Profit Highlights
1:00 PM – Go Fish with Dan Kenney
2:30 PM – 30 Odd Minutes
4:30 PM - Expedition New England
6:30 PM – Get Connected with Conn Jackson
7:00 PM – Reeling – The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM – The Cooking Hour
8:30 PM - Music
9:00 PM – Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
11:00 PM – Music
Midnight – Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers

MARION GOVERNMENT
Comcast Channel 95
Verizon Channel 39
Daily Schedule
8:30 AM – Latest School Committee Meeting
11:00 PM – Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:00 PM – Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:30 PM – Affordable Housing Trust
6:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
9:00 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT
Comcast Channel 95
Verizon Channel 40
Daily Schedule
8:00 AM – Latest School Committee Meeting
10:30 AM - Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:00 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:00 PM – COA Senior Picnic
6:30 PM – Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
9:00 PM – Latest Planning Board Meeting

EDUCATION CHANNEL
Comcast Channel 18
Verizon Channel 37
Daily Schedule
8:00 AM – Upper Cape Tech Presents – Careers
8:45 AM – Life After ORR
9:30 PM – OHS 2010 Sixth Grade Graduation Ceremony
2:00 PM – Life After ORR
3:30 PM - Center School Grade 1 - 2009/10 Class Memories
4:30 PM - Upper Cape Tech Presents – Careers
5:00 PM – RMS Spring Concert
6:30 PM - RMS Presents the Merchant of Venice
8:30 PM – Upper Cape Tech Presents – Careers
10:00 PM – Life After ORR
10:30PM – Bulldog Rhythm Showcase 2010

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Gateway Babe Ruth Signups

Gateway Babe Ruth is now accepting on line registrations for the 2010 Fall Baseball Season. Players living in the Towns of Carver, Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester, Wareham and surrounding areas who will be 13, 14 or 15 years of age before May 1, 2011 are eligible to play. Go to www.gatewaybaberuth.org to download forms. Forms must be submitted by **September 7**, 2010. Any youth is invited to join and any parent is invited to volunteer their time to the league. For more information go to www.GatewayBabeRuth.org.

Rochester Arts and Crafts Fair

The First Congregational Church of Rochester will be holding their 37th Annual Arts, Crafts and Flea Market on Saturday, **September 4** from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm on the Church green.

The event features a variety of vendors selling new, used, and antique merchandise. It also includes local organizations, tasty homemade baked goods, a lunch menu, and a "white elephant" tent.

Admission is free. The Church is located in the center of Rochester on Route 105 at New Bedford Road. Spaces are still available and can be reserved by calling the church at 508-763-4314. The rain date for the event is Monday September 6. Website: www.RochesterCongregational.org.

Friends Used Sporting Goods Sale

Are your closets cluttered with out-grown and unused sports equipment? Are you wishing your mudroom had a little more room for… mud? Are those cleats, tap shoes, life-jackets or skis too small for your children? Did your child survive "Survival"?

Now is a great time to clean out those closets, to reuse and recycle, and to get some great deals at the Friends of the Mattapoisett Library Used Sporting Goods Sale, to be held at Center School on **September 25**.

The Friends need donations of sports and dance equipment, such as skis, skates, cleats, ballet and tap shoes, balls, rollerblades, rackets, hockey sticks, baseball, football, golf, lacrosse, water sports equipment, and winter jackets. All donations must be in good condition.

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CONTEST #1
Halloween Story Contest

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The best story will be selected by an area panel of judges and the winner will receive a Nintendo Wii!



October 1st at noon is the Deadline for submitting a story

Stories will be printed in the October editions of The Wanderer

The Winner will be announced in the October 28th edition



CONTEST #2
Halloween Cover Contest

Your best Halloween artwork could be on the cover of The Wanderer and you could win a great prize!

Submit your best Halloween drawing, photo, compilation or anything else we can print on our cover to enter.

Deadline for submitting artwork is Friday, October 15 at noon.

On-line voting will take place from October 16 to October 25

The winner will be on the cover of the October 28th edition of The Wanderer.

The winner will also receive a Nintendo Wii!

Every person who votes in the cover contest will be entered to win a Wanderer Halloween Gift Bag which will include loads of Wanderer wear and aardvark items! Be sure to vote for your favorite cover from October 16 to October 25 on our web site: www.wanderer.com



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St. Anthony's Seeks Used Books

Want to get rid of used books? St. Anthony's Parish in Mattapoisett is raising money through donations of new and used books, CDs, DVDs, videos, records and audio books. The group has recently placed a drop-off donation container to collect these items from community members who would like to repurpose their used goods while also helping the parish raise money. The group will be paid on an ongoing basis for all items collected in their donation container.

The gray book donation container, distinguished by its purple and yellow 'Got Books?' signs, is located in the parking lot of the parish at 26 Hammond Street. This program is an ongoing fundraiser and the public can make donations at any time. All funds raised through the collection of these donations will benefit the general





Obituaries

Memorial Service for **Marilyn J. Flood** will be held September 18th at 10am at the Unitarian First Church, 71 Eighth St., New Bedford. Following the service, light refreshments will be served.

Joseph R. Rose, 80, of Mattapoisett died August 24, 2010 at Rhode Island Hospital. He was the husband of Leneta J. (Sewall) Rose. Born in New Bedford, the son of the late Joseph S. and Gertrude W. (Simmons) Rose, he lived in Mattapoisett most of his life.

Mr. Rose was a member of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church. He was formerly employed by Stop & Shop in Fairhaven. Mr. Rose served in the U.S. Navy, U.S. Army and the U.S. Marine Corps. He was a member of the Florence Eastman American Legion Post 280.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Joseph R. Rose, Jr. of New Bedford; a daughter, Debra J. Ziroli and her husband Frank of Norwich, CT; a sister, Blanche Preston of Fairhaven; a sister-in-law, Theresa Rose of Lewiston, ME; his good friend, Tom Parker of Rochester; several nieces and nephews. He was the brother of the late Roland Rose and Anita Faragila.

Arrangments by the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home For Funerals, 50 County Rd. (Rt. 6) Mattapoisett. His Funeral Service and burial was private. For guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

Courtney W. DeBlois, 69, died Monday, August 23, 2010 at Tobey Hospital in Wareham. He was the husband of Dorothy A. (Maxim) DeBlois.

Born in Waltham, the son of the late Robie V. & Carolyn W. (Myott) DeBlois, he was raised in Needham and attended Needham High School.

Mr. DeBlois served in the U.S. Navy from 1958 to 1962 and then relocated to Wareham at the end of his enlistment. After his military service, Mr. DeBlois served as patrolman for the Wareham Police Department for 37 ½ years retiring in 2001. After his retirement from the police department, he was a security officer at Tobey Hospital.

Mr. DeBlois also served as a call-firefighter joining the Wareham Fire Department in 1962 and was assigned to Ladder #2 Company. He served on the Wareham Fire District Prudential Committee for 16 years and was also a member of the Wareham Lodge of Elks # 1548.

Survivors include his wife; his daughter, Nicole DeBlois of Marion; his son, Courtney V. "Chip" DeBlois and his wife Tiffany of Wareham; his grandchildren, Isabella and Gabriel DeBlois of Wareham; his sister, Carolyn Bernier of Maine; his brothers, John DeBlois of Georgia and Michael Sutherland of Wareham. Also surviving are many nieces and nephews.

A Mass of Christian Burial was Saturday, August 28, 2010 at St. Patrick's Church, High St., Wareham. Interment was in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Wareham. Arrangements by the Chapman, Cole & Gleason Funeral Home, 2599 Cranberry Highway (Rt. 28), Wareham.

Donations in his memory may be made to Wareham Firefighters Local # 2810, P.O. Box 691, Wareham, MA 02571 OR Wareham EMT Association, P.O. Box 3492, Wareham, MA 02571.

Bette Lynn (Gula) Davis, 64, of New Bedford, passed away on Tuesday, August 24, 2010, at St. Luke's Hospital after a period of declining health. She was the widow of Larry Arnold Davis; and daughter of Jane (Parker) Gula of New Bedford and the late Michael Gula.

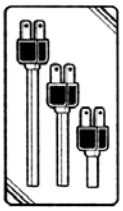
She was born in Acushnet and lived most of her life in New Bedford. She graduated from New Bedford High School Class of 1965 and attended Chabot College in CA. She was a District Manager for Jafra Cosmetics until her illness. She was a Field Director in CA for the Association of Physically Handicapped and was very involved with advocacy work for raising public awareness of handicap accessibility. She was a member of the First Church of the Nazarene.

In addition to her mother, she is survived by her daughter, Rhondalee Cusson and her husband, John Cotter of New Bedford; her son, Glen S. Davis and his wife, Ann of Dartmouth; four grandsons, Dylan and Tyler Cusson, Aiden and Gavin Davis; two granddaughters, Gabriel Linn and Faith Davis; seven sisters, Nancy Wright of Rochester, Maryjane Vasconcellos, Carol Mello, Judith Gula and Susan Gula, all of New Bedford, Helen Ramos of MS and Deborah Macedo of Buzzards Bay; two brothers, Michael F. Gula and George Gula, both of New Bedford; several nieces and nephews. She was the sister of the late John and Eugene Gula.

Arrangement by the Rock Funeral Home, New Bedford. Interment was in Assonet Burying Grounds.

Nancy A. (Harrington) Marchisio, 54, of Rochester died Friday August 27, 2010 at McCarthy Care Center. She was the wife of Richard S. Marchisio, Jr.
Born in Syracuse, NY, the daughter of the late Joseph and Mary (Rea) Harrington, she lived in this area since 1981.
Mrs. Marchisio was a graduate of Onondaga Community College, State University of New York Medical Center with a degree in Respiratory Therapy, and Providence College with a degree in Hospital Administration.
Survivors include her husband; her children, Sarah and Christian; her brother, Joseph Harrington and his wife Ellen of Syracuse; and nephew Michael and niece Elizabeth.

Arrangements were by the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Rd., Route 6, Mattapoisett. Remembrances may be made to the charity of one's choice. For guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.



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Public beaches, playgrounds, and parks remain closed after 6:00 pm. All outdoor activities scheduled for the evening should be rescheduled so that they are not held during peak times of mosquito activity. For more information please contact the Board of Health office or go to www.mass.gov/dph.

North Rochester Congregational Church

The North Rochester Congregational Church located at 247 North Avenue is an independent church and welcomes everyone to worship at 10:00 am every Sunday. The pulpit is filled by volunteers from the congregation or guest speakers. Nancy Sparklin is in charge of the music, assisted by Charles Chace.

On the second Sunday of the month, following the service, everyone is invited to join together for food and fellowship at a brunch prepared by the members of the congregation. The church is handicap-accessible.



Eileen C. (Wignall) Rounseville, 87, of Rochester passed away peacefully on Friday August 27, 2010 at Sacred Heart Home surrounded by her family after declining health due to Alzheimers. She was the wife of the late Lincoln Rounseville, and the war widow of the late Ensign John F. Gafner.

Born in New Bedford, the daughter of the late Frederick and Ada (Connor) Wignall, she lived in New Bedford for most of her life before moving to Rochester in 2003.

In her youth she was employed at John I. Paulding Company.

Eileen was a loving mother who loved babies and enjoyed spending time with her family. She enjoyed music, singing, and dancing, especially at Lincoln Park during the Big Band Era. She enjoyed dining out at various area restaurants. She found great pleasure attending her son's and grandson's high school and college football games.

Her family would like to thank the staff of St. Michael's Unit at Sacred Heart Home and Southcoast Hospice and Palliative Care for the loving care that they gave to their mother.

Survivors include her children, Patricia (Gafner) Blumlo-Marshall of New Bedford, Brian Rounseville and his wife Catherine, Lisa Holden and her husband Jim, and Linda Rounseville, all of Rochester, and Lori Rounseville and her boyfriend Jason Samson of New Bedford; her sister, Joan Desrosiers of New Bedford; her grandchildren, Julie Leger, Rachel Gonsalves, John Wignall, Christopher Blumlo, Cullen and Shannon Rounseville, Jason Santiago, and Katie Holden; and six great-grandchildren. She also leaves her aunt Esther Barker, her faithful friend Stephanie Murach, and several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She was the mother of the late John F. Wignall, sister of the late Patricia Dainty, and godmother of the late James Desrosiers.

Arrangements were by the Saunders-Dwyer Home for Funerals, 495 Park St., New Bedford. Remembrances may be made to Sacred Heart Home, 359 Summer St., New Bedford, MA 02740 or Camp Angel Wings, c/o Southcoast Hospice, 200 Mill Rd., Fairhaven, MA 02719. For guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

Marion (Davis) Hartshorn, 81 years old, passed away peacefully on Aug. 22, 2010.

She was born on May 5, 1929, to the late Doris (Wing) and Edward H. Davis. She was the sister of the late Gen. John R. Davis and the loving wife of the late James A. Hartshorn.

Marion is survived by her 3 children, David Pierson of South Middleborough, Mark Hartshorn of West Wareham, and Victoria Terra of Paducah, KY. She adored her granddaughters, Echo & Autumn Hartshorn, Noelle Pinheiro, and Artie & Xan Terra as well as her 2 great-grandchildren, Jakob & Mikaela Unick.

In her younger years she was an airline attendant with American Airlines and graduated Magna Cum Laude from the Johnson & Wales Culinary Institute in Providence, RI.

She was a proud member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Order of the Eastern Star, the Rochester Republican Committee and St. Andrew's Traditional Anglican Church in South Middleborough.

She actively enjoyed world-traveling, playing bridge, knitting, and a quilting technique that she created and called, "queading."

In lieu of flowers her family kindly requests that memorial donations be sent to St. Andrew's Traditional Anglican Church, P.O. Box 109, Middleborough, MA 02346. A memorial service is going to be held at St. Andrew's and will be announced at a later date.

John S. Barrows, 79, of Summerfield, formerly of Mattapoisett, Mass., passed away at home Monday, Aug. 9, 2010.

Born and raised in Marion and Mattapoisett, he was the son of the late Edgar and Louise (Sherman) Barrows. He joined the Navy in 1952 and served in the Korean War, after which he moved to California and worked for Philippine Airlines as a buyer. Upon retiring he built a home in Summerfield, FL where he lived the remainder of his life.

Survivors include a sister, Patricia Hiller of Marion; a brother, Phillip Barrows of Mattapoisett; several nieces and nephews; and numerous great-nieces and great-nephews.

He was the father of the late John S. Barrows Jr.; and brother of the late Richard Barrows and Bradley Barrows.

Burial services will be private.

Joao Damiao Medeiros, 91, of New Bedford, died Friday, August 27, 2010 at Southeastern Mass. Health and Rehabilitation Center following a brief illness. He was the widower of Antonieta P. (Rainha) Medeiros and son of the late Joao Damiao Medeiros, Sr. and Maria C. (Braga) Medeiros.

Born in Ribeira das Tainhas, Vila Franco do Campo, St. Michael, Azores, he immigrated to New Bedford with his family in 1966.

Mr. Medeiros was a communicant of St. John The Baptist Church. He was employed by Chamberlain Manufacturing retiring at the age of 65.

Mr. Medeiros enjoyed gardening, spending time with his family and taking care of his grandchildren.

His family includes 5 daughters, Gilda Gomes of New Bedford, Clotilde Mello of No. Dartmouth, Antonieta DaSilveira of New Bedford, Marie DeMelo of No. Dartmouth and Darlene Bentz of Rochester; several grandchildren & great-grandchildren, nieces & nephews. He was predeceased by 5 sisters and 1 brother.

Arrangements were by the AUBERTINE-LOPES FUNERAL HOME, 129 Allen St., New Bedford. Interment in St. John Cemetery.

Donations may be made in his memory to St. Vincent dePaul Society, c/o St. John The Baptist Church, 344 County St., New Bedford, MA 02740. For online guestbook, please visit www.aubertine-lopes.com.

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On **September 5**, NRCC will celebrate Communion.

Annual Waterman School Reunion

The Fourth Annual Waterman Reunion will be held on Saturday, **September 11** at the Rochester Memorial School from 11:00 am until 3:00 pm. Lunch will be served at noon. Price is $20 per person. Payment should be sent to the Rochester Historical Society, PO Box 171, Rochester, MA 02770. Please bring your memories, stories, and photos. For more information call 508-763-2724 or 508-763-8838.

Marion Institute: "Allergies and Asthma"

The Biological Medicine Network (BMN), a program of the Marion Institute, is pleased to offer a free public lecture "Allergies and Asthma – Healing with Biological Medicine", on Wednesday, **September 29** from 7:00 to 8:30 pm presented by Thomas Rau, M.D. The lecture will take place at Waypoint Conference Center, Fairfield Inn and Suites by Marriott, 185 MacArthur Drive, New Bedford, MA 02740.

Doors open at 6:30 pm and seating is first come first served. Space is limited.

Dr. Rau is Chief Medical Director and Founder of the Paracelsus Clinic in Lustmuhle, Switzerland. He will explain how allergies and asthma are only expressions of deep disturbances of the immune system. Dr. Rau will discuss the real underlying causes such as food intolerance, toxic loads, intestinal flora health, deficiencies of trace elements and more. He will talk about the diagnosis and treatment of these underlying causes using Biological Medicine and the tremendous long term success rate he has had with patients.

The free Allergies and Asthma lecture is a continuation of the Marion Institute's effort to try and create deep and positive change through a diverse array of solution-based programs.

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Editor's Pick of the Week

Hurricane Preparedness
From FEMA Fact Sheet

Edited by Anne O'Brien-Kakley



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A reader recently stopped by *The Wanderer* office with two pages ripped out of a 1985 copy of the Presto Press, Mattapoisett predecessor to *The Wanderer* newspaper. The two-page spread was a comprehensive list of safety measures to take during a hurricane – interestingly enough, the hurricane preparedness insert was aptly timed, since 1985 was the year of the semi-legendary Hurricane Gloria. Faithfully, this reader had ripped out the page and had kept it all these years on her refrigerator.

According to the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) website, there is a 90 percent chance of an above-normal season this year, meaning the Atlantic will likely see more hurricane action than it usually does. Especially this year, on the fifth anniversary of Hurricane Katrina, this presents a concern to everyone in the Atlantic, from the tropics to New England.

Hurricane Earl is predicted to affect the South Coast weather this weekend, and September/October is peak hurricane season. Here's hoping that we won't need any hurricane tips; but just in case, the following is a fact sheet on hurricane preparedness, compiled by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and edited and presented to you from *The Wanderer*. Perhaps you have a little room on your refrigerator for some hurricane safety?

Know Your Risk and What to Do:

• Contact your local emergency management office to learn about evacuation routes and emergency plans.

• Get additional preparation information from FEMA at **www.FEMA.gov**, or m.FEMA.gov for your mobile device; learn more from the Ready Campaign at **Ready.gov**, the Citizen's Corps at **CitizensCorps.gov**, the American Red Cross at **Red Cross.org**, and NOAA's National Hurricane Center at **nhc.NOAA.gov**.

• Inquire about emergency plans and procedures at your child's school and at your workplace.

• Make a family disaster plan that includes out-of-town contacts and locations to reunite if you become separated. Be sure everyone knows home, work and cell phone numbers, and how to dial 911.

• Assemble a disaster supplies kit with food, water, medical supplies (including all your necessary medications), batter-powered radio, batteries, flashlights and other items to allow you to get by for three days after a hurricane hits.

• Gather important documents, such as birth and marriage certificates, social security cards, passports, wills, deeds, and financial and insurance records. Store them in a fire and flood-safe location or a safe-deposit box.

Prepare Your Home Before the Storm:

• Install permanent wooden or metal storm shutters or board up windows with 5/8-inch marine plywood.

• Trim trees and clear rain gutters and downspouts.

• Plan ahead for protection of pets and livestock. For information on pet protection, go to www.FEMA.gov and search "Pet Owners".

As the Storm Approaches:

• Remember that a **Watch** means that the hurricane may threaten to strike within 36 to 48 hours. A **Warning** means that the hurricane is expected to strike within 24 hours.

• Have a full tank of gas in a vehicle, cash, and your disaster supplies kit ready to go.

• Make sure every family member carries or wears identification.

• Listen to the radio or television and NOAA Weather Radio All-Hazards for current information and be prepared to act quickly.

• Turn refrigerator and freezer to maximum cold and keep closed.

• Secure your boat or move it to a safer mooring.

• Fill the bathtub and other large containers with water for bathing, flushing toilets and cleaning, but do not drink this water.

Hurricane Preparedness

• Secure or bring inside such outdoor items as patio furniture, kids' slides and power mowers.

• Turn off propane tanks. Shut off other utilities if emergency officials advise you to do so.

Evacuate If You:

• Are directed by local authorities to do so. Be sure to follow their directions.

• Live in a mobile home, a high-rise building, on the coast, a floodplain, near a river, or an inland waterway, or otherwise feel you will be in danger.

If You are Told to Evacuate:

• Turn off all utilities if authorities advise you to do so.

• Don't delay in evacuating once you get word to leave.

• Stick to designated evacuation routes. If you need help, the evacuation route is the most likely place that you will be able to find help.

• Take your most reliable vehicle and avoid taking multiple vehicles that create gridlock.

If You Cannot Evacuate and Are Staying in Your Home:

• Go to a safe indoor place for refuge, such as an interior room, closet or hallway. Stay downstairs only if you are not in a flood zone or storm-surge area.

• Do not go outdoors during the storm, even in its early stages. Flying debris is extremely dangerous.

• Close all doors, brace external doors, stay clear of windows and keep curtains and blinds shut.

• If necessary, take cover under a heavy table, or under something protective.

• Don't be tricked by a sudden lull in the storm, as it may be the "eye" of the hurricane passing over. The storm will resume with the same intensity once the eye passes.

Immediately After the Storm:

• Use extreme caution going out of doors. Be alert for downed power lines, broken glass, and damage to building foundations, streets and bridges, and coastal or hillside erosion.

• Keep listening to the radio, television, or NOAA Weather Radio All-Hazards.

• Watch for closed roads. If you come across a barricaded or flooded road: **Don't Drown, Turn Around**.

Be Prepared To:

• Stay on firm ground. Moving water only 6-inches deep can sweep you off your feet. Standing water may be electrically charged from power lines.

• Once home, check gas, water, electrical lines and appliances for damage.

• Use a flashlight to inspect for damage. Never use candles or other open flames indoors.

• When using a generator, avoid electrocution hazards by following the manufacturers' instructions and standard electrical code.

• Do not drink tap water until you know it is safe.

The Recovery Process:

• For direct assistance to individuals' and families' immediate needs, contact the American Red Cross or other local voluntary agencies.

• Check newspapers, television or radio news for information on disaster assistance available.

• If you have property damage, contact your insurance company as soon as possible.

List of Local Emergency Departments:
In the event of an actual emergency, dial 911

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Rochester 508-763-2611
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Rochester 508-763-1991
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Salvation Army: 1-845-620-7200
Utilities: NSTAR, Customer Service and Outages, 1-800-592-2000.
Gas Leaks, 1-800-572-9337
Cable Company: Comcast, 1-800-266-2278



Movie Review

On the Road Again

By Rob Gonsalves
www.robsmovievault.com



The Last Exorcism. **Starring Patrick Fabian and Ashley Bell. Directed by Daniel Stamm. Running time: 91 minutes. MPAA rating: PG-13.**

Exorcism movies shouldn't be rated PG-13, because demons shouldn't be rated PG-13. They're supposed to be vile, ghastly, unholy creatures that revel in obscene sacrilege so grotesquely they can test the faith of the most devout. If you can't show that, you're wasting our time. There's a reason no significant demon-possession films were made before The Exorcist, which at the time pushed the still-young R rating as far as it could go and then pushed past that. The Exorcist shocked millions into a new, intensely physicalized awareness of metaphysical evil; it was a game-changer, often imitated, never duplicated, not even close.

That said, The Last Exorcism, which is rated PG-13, gets by for some time on the goodwill earned by its opening sequences. Reverend Cotton Marcus (Patrick Fabian), a slickster with a wholesome Pat Boone handsomeness, has been preaching the good word since he was ten. He's a lot older now, and less sure that the word is good. Cotton has stayed in the game because he's good at it, and he provides the faithful with a kind of spiritual catharsis, even if he no longer believes in a divine source. He's also a showman, working sleight-of-hand tricks into his sermons, and that has helped him become one of the most sought-after exorcists in the Bible Belt. Exorcisms, too, are for Cotton a kind of true lie, cathartic baloney that works on believers.

Cotton is summoned into the boonies by a father concerned about the behavior of his sixteen-year-old daughter Nell (Ashley Bell) — not to mention the livestock that keeps turning up butchered. Cotton invites a two-person camera crew along to document what he considers his last exorcism; in the wake of someone else's botched exorcism attempt that killed a kid and made the papers, Cotton wants to prove to the world that the ritual is just smoke and mirrors. By extension, I suppose, he might also want to prove that the whole Christian shebang is smoke and mirrors. Richard Dawkins would approve.

Like a few other horror movies (obviously The Blair Witch Project, also Quarantine and Cloverfield), The Last Exorcism passes itself off as found footage of supernatural catastrophe. This works up to a point. There are a few too many instances in which we ask why there's a camera around, or why a sane crew would still be in the same zip code as the events. Yet we stay with it, because the narrative is shaping up as a rude rejoinder to Cotton's cynicism. "If you believe in God, you also have to believe in demons," he says earlier. Well, if there are demons, does that mean God exists? Or are we on our own with demons who can play with us without fear of divine reprisals?

The spookiness has a slow, steady simmer, and Nell (a standout performance by Bell) certainly seems to be possessed; the movie keeps weakly suggesting normal causes for the events, only to be definitively schooled: no, it's a demon we're dealing with here. The omens grow louder and bloodier. Then it comes, the make-or-break ending that had a theater full of teenagers on a Saturday night commenting on its stupidity. I joined them in spirit. The ending is being defended by some critics because the movie doesn't seem to be headed in that direction, but that sort of audible viewer rejection is a classic sign of breaking faith with the audience. In one stroke, an interesting mockumentary becomes a B-movie, and a cheesy one at that. It's as if, at the end of one of his sermons, Cotton had shown his parishioners the cards up his sleeve and said that the Bible is just a comforting fiction after all.

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Dr. Rau will also be conducting a Biological Medicine Seminar in Dartmouth, MA from September 30 to October 2. This seminar will focus on Advanced Approaches to Difficult Diseases plus Advanced Applications for Rheumatic and Chronic Inflammatory Conditions using the Pleo-Sanum remedies. The seminar is designed for health practitioners and medical students. Please visit our website www.biologicalmedicinenetwork.org or call the Marion Institute at 508-748-0816 for more detailed information.

Mosquito Dunks Available in Mattapoisett

In an effort to reduce the mosquito population and help protect our residents from mosquito borne disease, Mattapoisett is making mosquito dunks available to its residents.

The Mattapoisett Board of Health has mosquito dunks available for residents to help to stop mosquito larvae from hatching in small wet areas. Complete instructions for use and other info will be given out with the dunks. They are available at the Mattapoisett Board of Health office in the town hall at no charge. Residents can request up to two dunks at a time.

The dunks will treat 200 square feet. If you have an area larger than 200 square feet that has standing water you can call Plymouth County Mosquito Control at 781-585-5450 or contact them through www.plymouthmosquito.com and they will spray your property. These dunks are extremely effective in wet areas around the home and will last 30 days or longer depending on conditions.

If you have any questions, please contact the Board of Health at 508-758-4100 ext. 8.

ORRHS Class of 1975 Reunion

Come share your memories, stories, accomplishments, trials and tribulations with the folks who "knew you back when…"

The 1975 Old Rochester High School Reunion will take place on Saturday, **September 11**, 2010 from 1:00 to 5:00 pm at the Mattapoisett Chowder House. The cost will be $22 per person. Please RSVP and send your check

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TriTown Happenings



Left: Former selectmen and cherished community member, Joseph Zora, was honored at the 30th annual Marion Block Party on August 28, 2010. Mr. Zora is credited with starting the annual Marion tradition, and he was honored at this year's party with a cake and a tree planting. Photo by Laura Pedulli.





Above: The Butterfly, a boat skippered by Vern Tisdale, left from Mattapoisett Harbor at the August 15 2010 Stone Horse Rendezvous and Builder's Cup, sponsored by the New Bedford Yacht Club. Photo courtesy of Tom Kenney.

Left: The Rochester Council on Aging (COA) has been named in the last will and testament of Edward and Louise Wheeler, Rochester senior residents. The Wheelers lived in Rochester for many years, and bequeathed $50,000 to the Rochester COA from their estate. Photo courtesy of Sharon Lally.

The Sea Dogs are the 2010 Mattapoisett Youth League's Minor League Champions! The team is, front row, left to right: Christian Bodin, Brady Costa, Mattie Silva, Tyler Boardman, Ethan Moniz and Jack Barrows. Back row, left to right: Coach Dana Barrows, James Sylvia, Jack LeBrun, Trevor Souza, Jacob Lawrence, Daniel Fealy, Coach Matt Silva and Coach Skip Silva. Photo courtesy of Dana Barrows.



These photos and more are available online at www.wanderer.com

to: Susan Pina Reed, 24169 Matthew Place, Newhall, CA 91321. Include with your RSVP a note indicating who will be coming with you.

For more information, contact Ms. Reed at susanhasjoy@yahoo.com, or Tom Luiz at tom.luiz@hp.com. Bring your photos, old and new.

Sippican Choral Society Seeks Singers

The Sippican Choral Society welcomes singers for its 2010 holiday concert, "Christmas Around the World". Rehearsals begin Monday, **September 13** and are held every Monday at 7:30 pm at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church's Reynaud Hall, 27 Church Street, Mattapoisett. New members are welcomed to join until **September 27**. Please arrive to your first rehearsal at least 15 minutes early to register. Semester dues are $35. Concert dates are Friday, December 3 and Sunday, December 5. For more information, e-mail: osuch1@aol.com or visit the Sippican Choral Society website at www.sippicanchoral.org.

Old Rochester Farmers' Market

"A perfect summer day is when the sun is shining, the breeze is blowing, the birds are singing, and the lawn mower is broken." -James Dent.

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RMS Expansion Project





The Rochester Memorial School project has been progressing in leaps and bounds this summer. These photos show the building's progress on June 28, July 13, August 16 and August 26, 2010. The new addition is ready for final touches, and the old section of the building will undergo a renovation process over the next year during school vacations. The completed project has a projected finish date of September, 2011. Photos by Laura Pedulli.

July 13, 2010



August 16, 2010



August 26, 2010

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Participating in the market are a variety of vendors to bring you the best of what the area has to offer. There will be local vegetable farm vendors, bakers, local artisans and skin care product vendors.

The Old Rochester Farmers' Market is located on the lawn of Old Rochester Regional Junior High School, and takes place on Tuesdays from 3:00 to 6:00 pm.

Mattapoisett Town Clerk News

• **State Primary** – The Massachusetts State Primary is scheduled for **September 14**, 2010. The polls are located at Old Hammondtown School and are open from 7:00 am to 8:00 pm. Absentee ballots are available for anyone who is unable to cast their vote in person on election day. Please call the office at 508-758-4103 ext 2 if you have any questions or concerns.

• **Late Dog License Letters** have been mailed. There is a $10 late fee in effect. If you have not yet licensed your dog please do so as soon as possible. The fee for a spayed or neutered dog is $17 and for a male or female not neutered the fee is $20. Rabies must be up to date and on file in the Clerk's office. If you have any questions please call the office at 508-758-4103 ext. 2

• **Mooring Inspections** – If your mooring number is between 500 and 912 you should be receiving a mooring inspection letter this week. Mooring inspections are done on a three-year cycle. The mooring inspection must be on file in the Town Clerk's office before payment will be accepted for the 2011 season.

Plumb Library News

• **Book Sale** – The Annual Friends of Plumb Library book sale will take place on Saturday, **September 11** from 9:00 to 2:00 pm at the First Congregational Church's Fellowship Hall, Constitution Way, Rochester. All sorts of books, puzzles, games, and more will be for sale. Volunteers are needed for sorting, packing, and moving the books, plus setting up the sale, working on sale day, and putting books away. Volunteers receive 50 percent off their purchases. Teenagers are welcome to help, and are needed for sorting and moving. Donations of clean, used books, DVDs, puzzles, games, and audio books are also being accepted until **September 9**. Please call the library for more information.

• **Storytimes** – Registration for the fall session of both Preschool and Toddler storytimes will start Monday **September 13** and end Saturday, **September 25**. Due to space limitations, pre-registration is required for this program. Plumb storytimes consist of interactive book read-alouds, fingerplays, action rhymes, crafts, and a snack. Sessions run for eight weeks and are free, thanks to the support of the Friends of Plumb Library. To register your child, please come into the library or call 508-763-8600 during the registration period and during library

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Tri-Town Police Logs

MARION
Log highlights August 22-August 28
•Mill St – MV complaint-arrest
•Front St – General services
•Delano Rd – Animal complaint
•Converse Rd – paper service
•Route 195 west – MVA/injury
•Nokomis Rd – General service
•Vine St – Parking violation
•Wishbone Way – Assist other Police Dept
•Mill St – Civil complaint
•Benson Brook Rd – MVA/property
•Green St – Animal complaint
•Mill St – General services
•Joanne Dr – Suspicious activity
•Western Ave – Medical emergency
•Mill St – Animal complaint
•Marion Post Office – General service
•Mill St – B&E past
•Pine Hill Ln – Motor vehicle complaint
•Jenna Dr – Officer wanted
•Partridge Ln – Medical emergency
•Route 195 east – Chemical spill
•Converse Rd – Health/welfare
•Front St – MVA/injury
•Lewis St – Animal complaint
•Fearing Hill Rd – Transport
•Point Rd – Vandalism/past
•Point Rd Wareham – Medical emergency
•Wilson Rd – Suspicious person
•Parkway Ln – Officer wanted
•Pleasant St. – D.M.V.

MATTAPOISETT
Log highlights August 22-August 28
•Fairhaven Rd – Ambulance request
•County Rd – Arrest-adult
•North St – MV crash
•Tupola Ln – MV crash/hit & run
•Church St – MV violations
•County Rd – Health/welfare
•North St – General service
•Freeman St – Fire, other
•Angelica Ave – Animal control
•Euclid Ave – Ambulance request
•Rebello Ln – General service
•Mechanic St – Alarm, fire
•Sagamore Rd – Maritime – all calls
•Noyes Ave – Alarm, burglar
•Ned's Point Rd – Property lost
•Crystal Spring Rd – General service
•Marion Rd – Unwanted person
•Ocean View Ave – Ambulance request
•North St – MV violations
•Bay Rd – Animal control
•Pease's Pont area – Fire, other
•Acushnet Rd – MV general
•North St – Animal control
•Shore View Ave – Shellfish violations
•Water St – General service
•Brant Beach Ave – Animal control
•Goodspeed Island - Disturbance
•Pearl St – Ambulance request
•County Rd – MV abandoned
•Seabreeze Ln – MV general

ROCHESTER
Log highlights August 22-August 28
•Snipatuit Rd – Noise complaint
•Taber Ln – Ambulance request
•Mayflower Ln – Noise complaint
•Vaughn Hill Rd – Motor vehicle stop
•Rounseville Rd – Ambulance request
•Cushman Rd – Highway matter
•Snipatuit Rd – Animal complaint
•Negus Way – ATV/Rec Vehicle complaint
•Marion Rd – Disabled MV
•Cross Rd – Assist citizen
•County Rd – Disturbance
•Rounseville Rd – Fire, other
•Walnut Plain Rd – Traffic hazard
•Alley Rd – Disturbance
•Neck Rd – Ambulance request
•Perry's Ln – Disabled MV
•Braley Hill Rd – Investigation
•Featherbed Ln – 911 silent
•Alley Rd – Officer wanted
•Mary's Pond Rd – Domestic disturbance
•Bryant Rd – Animal control
•New Bedford Rd – Motor vehicle stop
•Kings Hwy – Disabled MV
•North Ave – Motor vehicle stop
•Elizabeth Dr – Liquor law violation
•Kings hwy – Disabled MV
•Neck Rd – Motor vehicle stop
•Cranberry Hwy – Information only
•Dexter Ln – Missing person
•New Bedford Rd – Motor vehicle stop

Regional Lunch Menus

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM
Monday September 6: Closed Labor Day
Tuesday September 7: Chicken a la king, rice pilaf, peas, dinner roll, mandarin oranges
Wednesday September 8: Swedish meatballs, mashed potatoes, genoa blend veg, whole wheat bread, mixed fruit
Thursday September 9: Fish florentine, hot German potato salad, diced beets, sliced bread, fruit Arctic ice, Diet: Graham waffle
Friday September 10: Beef burgundy, buttered noodles, mixed veg, fruit muffin, fresh fruit

MATTAPOISETT ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS
Center School & Old Hammondtown School
Monday September 6: Closed Labor Day
Tuesday September 7: Whole grain chicken or cheese quesadilla, celery & carrot sticks, fresh fruit, choice of milk
Wednesday September 8: Whole grain spaghetti w/ meat sauce, salad, bread stick, fruit, choice of milk
Thursday September 9: Tuna on a wheat wrap, lettuce, tomato, fresh fruit, choice of milk
Friday September 10: Whole grain wedge pizza, salad, fresh fruit, choice of milk

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH SCHOOLS
Monday September 6: Closed Labor Day
Tuesday September 7: Whole grain chicken or cheese quesadilla, celery & carrot sticks, fresh fruit, choice of milk
Wednesday September 8: Whole grain spaghetti w/ meat sauce, salad, bread stick, fruit, choice of milk
Thursday September 9: Tuna on a wheat wrap, lettuce, tomato, fresh fruit, choice of milk
Friday September 10: Whole grain wedge pizza, salad, fresh fruit, choice of milk

ROCHESTER MEMORIAL SCHOOL
Monday September 6: Closed Labor Day
Tuesday September 7: Whole grain chicken or cheese quesadilla, celery & carrot sticks, fresh fruit, choice of milk
Wednesday September 8: Whole grain spaghetti w/ meat sauce, salad, bread stick, fruit, choice of milk
Thursday September 9: Tuna on a wheat wrap, lettuce, tomato, fresh fruit, choice of milk
Friday September 10: Whole grain wedge pizza, salad, fresh fruit, choice of milk

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Monday September 6: Closed Labor Day
Tuesday September 7: Whole grain chicken or cheese quesadilla, celery & carrot sticks, fresh fruit, choice of milk
Wednesday September 8: Whole grain spaghetti w/ meat sauce, salad, bread stick, fruit, choice of milk
Thursday September 9: Tuna on a wheat wrap, lettuce, tomato, fresh fruit, choice of milk
Friday September 10: Whole grain wedge pizza, salad, fresh fruit, choice of milk

OLD COLONY REGIONAL VOKE HIGH SCHOOL
Monday September 6 Closed Labor Day
Tuesday September 7: American chop suey, green beans, bread stick, mixed fruit
Wednesday September 8: Waffles, hash browns, sausage, fruit
Thursday September 9: Buffalo chicken wrap, carrot & celery sticks, bleu cheese dressing, fries, pears
Friday September 10: Pizza, salad, fruit

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• **Cafe Parlez Goes to the Movies** will be reading *Lost Horizon*, by James Hilton. Deep in the Tibetan wilderness, a plane with four passengers crashes near an ancient lamasery. But their arrival in this land of eerie beauty and total tranquility is no accident. This is the fantasy classic that put the term "Shangri-La" into the world's vocabulary. Made into a movie in 1937, it starred Ronald Colman, Jane Wyatt, and was directed by Frank Capra. We will discuss this classic on Thursday, **September 30** at 6:30 pm. Books and copies of the film are available at the circulation desk.

• **Just the Facts**, the Nonfiction Book Discussion Group, will have its first meeting on Monday, **October 18** at 6:30 pm. The group will be discussing *The Gardner Heist: The True Story of the World's Largest Unsolved Art Theft*, by Ulrich Boser. Books will be available starting **September 13**, and pre-registration is requested. For the full schedule of titles for 2010-2011, visit www.plumblibrary.com.

• **Computer Classes** – Starting on Tuesday, **September 14**, there will be a rotating series of six classes on various aspects of computer use for adults. Pre-registration is required, and classes are limited to a maximum of 8. Participants may bring their own laptops, or use the library computers. The schedule is: **September 14**, Week 1: Using Excel, **September 21**, Week 2: Creating Fliers and other Word Documents, **September 28**, Week 3: Using Optimal Resume to Help in Job Search, **October 5**, Week 4: Using Overdrive and Other Audio Book Sites, **October 12**, Week 5: Pictures and Music, **October 19**, Week 6: Shopping on the Internet; Staying Safe.

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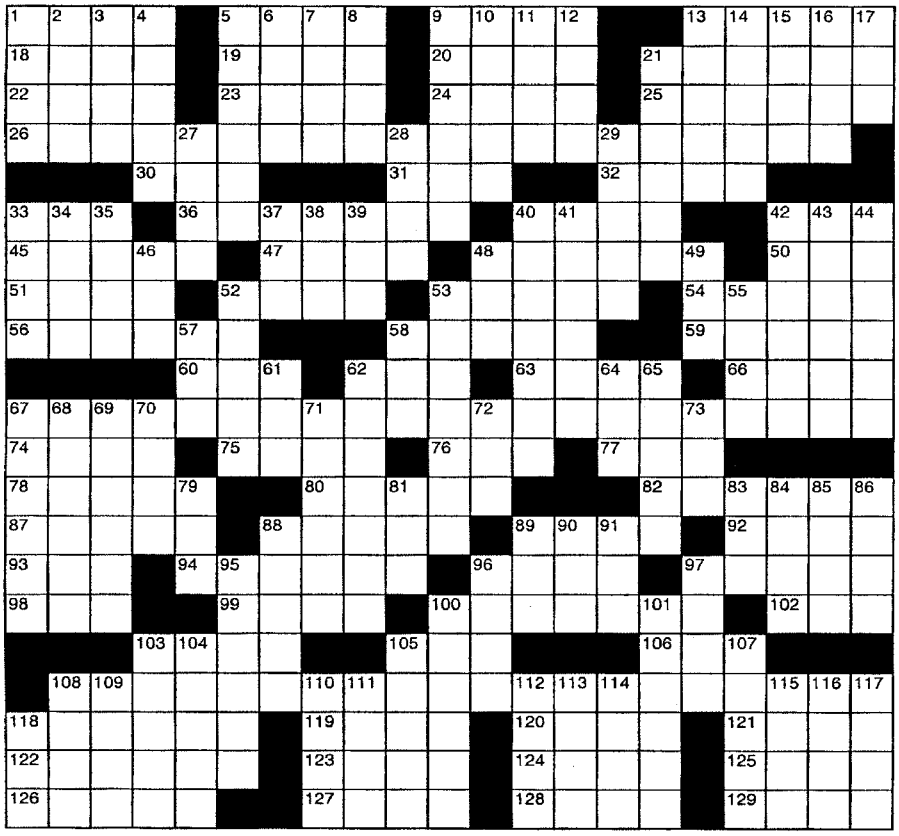
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31 Echidna's tidbit
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36 School subject
40 "Beat it!"
42 Dandy
45 Simpson of fashion
47 Sausage segment
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50 Tax shelter
51 Wolsey's successor
52 Green house?
53 Pianist Glenn
54 Light beer
56 Monstrous
58 Worries
59 PR concern
60 Shuffleboard stick
62 Bovine bellow
63 Swarm (with)
66 Word with man or maiden
67 Middle of remark
74 New York county
75 Borscht ingredient
76 A Stooge
77 Slip up
78 Michael of "Dynasty"
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94 Actress Plummer
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97 Highlight hair
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105 Actress Leoni
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108 End of remark
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119 Bustle
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127 Skirt shaper
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8 Entertainer Falana
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11 Muslim pilgrimage
12 Place
13 "Ma — Amie" ('70 tune)
14 Fess up
15 Cranny's companion
16 "Rule Britannia" composer
17 Youngster
21 Comprehend
27 Raison d'—
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33 Writer Charles
34 Bouquet
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40 Move to and fro
41 WWII admiral
42 Barber of Seville
43 Beaver State
44 Rear
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49 Campbell of UB40
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53 Cared for a Clydesdale
55 In the thick of
57 Expert
58 Eddie of vaudeville
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62 "Waltzing —" (1903 song)
64 Pupil's place
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68 Prophet
69 Neatened (up)
70 Sock part
71 Characterize
72 Negative correlative
73 Psychic Geller
79 Rug type
81 Arthur of "Maude"
83 Mongrel
84 Handle
85 Kudrow of "Friends"
86 James or Jones
88 Cozy coat
89 "Hulk" Ferrigno
90 Decorative vase
91 Chianti color
95 Comic Howie
96 Dull
97 Set loose
100 Suit
101 Screenwriter Nora
103 High-toned guy?
104 Actress MacDowell
105 Henry VIII's house
107 Dumbstruck
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SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) This could be the time to try soothing whatever bad feelings might be lingering 'twixt and among colleagues, friends or family members. But be sure you do so without favoring any side.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) An idea is only an idea until you put that clever Bovine mind to work to develop it from concept to substance. This could lead to something rewarding, both emotionally and monetarily.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) The early part of the week could have some disconcerting moments, but approaching them with a calm, unruffled attitude goes a long way toward helping to get things nicely settled down.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Getting used to change continues to mark much of the week. But accepting what you have to do makes adapting that much easier. A welcome visitor could turn up sooner than expected.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Learning how to live with a decision is a challenge, but one you Leos and Leonas could really enjoy. You'll also be pleased to see your social life take that upsurge you've been hoping for.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Use your perceptive Virgo instinct to help you see the positive aspects of what, at first, appears to be a disappointment. You could find that it proves to be quite the contrary.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Your ability to maintain a balance between sense and sentiment once again helps you sort through apparently conflicting choices and ultimately arrive at the right decision.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Before you seek the advice of colleagues about a potential career move, you might be better off getting counsel from someone who won't be affected by the choices you make.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) It can be a challenging week for some relationships if the normal give-and-take flow changes with one side doing most of the giving and the other the taking.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A new opportunity could bring with it much anticipation along with some anxiety. Take time to sort out your options as well as your emotional considerations.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Are you sure you have all the facts you need to let that matter move to another level? Don't be rushed into a decision unless and until you feel it's the right thing to do.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Pace yourself as you prepare to take on that more demanding project. Be careful not to let your energy reserves drain away. Take time to relax with people close to you.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have the ability to see both sides of a situation. You would do well as a counselor or a judge.

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Mattapoisett Free Public Library

• **Job Club** – The weekly Second Club of Coffee Job Club continues to meet on Wednesdays from 10:00 to 11:30 am. Discussions cover all aspects of returning to work whether you are unemployed, retired and looking for a new career or part-time job, or thinking of starting your own business. Great for networking, job search tips, and help with resumes and cover letters. Moms – are you thinking of returning to the workforce? Visit the Job Club for help in getting started and organizing your new schedule. The job club is facilitated by HR Professional, Marcella Nelson.

• **Summer Reading** – It's not too late to get summer reading done! Visit the library and check the summer reading lists with librarian Liz Sherry. While you are here, check out the displays of award-winning young adult reading, including some book reviews. Let us know what authors you favor so we can add them to the library's order lists. Take a chance in our back-to-school raffle for students and win a gift card for school supplies and a memory stick. The drawing will be held Friday, **September 17**.

• **Library Wish List** – As summer guests prepare to leave and you are reorganizing your rooms, why not donate those summer reading books and DVDs to the library? Share adult and children's items both, and others will enjoy them. The community will benefit from your generous donations. Thanks to all who give to the library's collections!

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TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
NOTICE OF TOWN MEETING
REQUEST FOR ARTICLES
The Town of Mattapoisett will hold a Fall Special Town Meeting on October 12, 2010 at the ORR High School Auditorium at 6:30 PM. Those wishing to submit an article for Town Meeting's consideration may do so by obtaining 100 registered voters signatures and submit them along with the proposed article to the Selectmen's Office by September 15, 2010. Should you have questions, please call Michael Gagne, Town Administrator at (508)758-4100 ext. 220.
Board of Selectmen 08/26, 09/02

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
PLANNING BOARD &
TREE WARDEN
Notice of Public Hearing
Under Massachusetts General Laws
Chapter 40, Section 15C
Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 40, Section 15C, and Chapter 87, Section 3, the Mattapoisett Planning Board and the Mattapoisett Tree Warden will hold a joint public hearing during a Planning Board regular scheduled meeting, in the Conference room at Town Hall, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett, Massachusetts 7:00 PM. on September 20, 2010 on the request of Mark & Nancy Keighley, for a permit from the Tree Warden authorizing and consent of the Planning Board to cut and remove two "Norway Maple" Trees located at 66 North Street, a designated Scenic way in the Town.
Planning Board 08/26, 09/02, 09/09

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection
Pursuant to 33 U.S.C. 1341 and M.G.L. c. 21 §§ 26 - 53, notice is given of a 401 Water Quality Certification application for Transmission Line Maintenance and Improvements, by NSTAR Electric & Gas Corporation, One NSTAR Way, NE250 Westwood, MA 02090-9230, on the Right-of-Way for Circuit 303 between North Street and the Crystal Spring Road substation in Mattapoisett. Additional information may be obtained from Eric Las, Beals and Thomas, Inc., 144 Turnpike Road, Southborough, MA 01772, 508-366-0560. Written comments should be sent to MassDEP, Southeast Regional Office, Division of Wetlands and Waterways, 20 Riverside Drive, Lakeville, MA 02347 within twenty-one days of this notice.

Any group of ten persons, any aggrieved person, or any governmental body or private organization with a mandate to protect the environment who submits written comments may appeal the Department's Certification. Failure to submit written comments before the end of the public comment period may result in the waiver of any right to an adjudicatory hearing.
MassDEP 09/02

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MARION
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, September 8, 2010 at 7:10 PM in the Town House conference room on a Notice of Intent submitted by MARK W. MacLEAN for the following work at 10 Hammett's Cove Road: construct an addition with a screened porch and deck on the southeast end of the dwelling, an inground swimming pool and patios at the south end of the dwelling, and associated grading. The site is further identified as Lot 39L on Marion Assessors' Map 8. Plans are available at the Town House for review.
Joel D. Hartley, Chairman 09/02

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MARION
BOARD OF HEALTH
The Marion Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, September 14, 2010 at 4:45 p.m. in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House on the variance request submitted by GAF Engineering pertaining to the property located at 20 Old Indian Path, further identified as Map 25, Lot 27. The following variances are requested:
310 CMR 15.405:
310 CMR Section 15.211 – Distances

A reduction in the required setback from the soil absorption system to the southerly property line (10 feet required, 6 feet proposed)

A reduction in the required setback from the pump chamber to the southerly property line (10 feet required, 5 feet proposed)

A reduction in the required setback from the pump chamber to the crawlspace (10 feet required, 7 feet proposed)

310 CMR Section 15.212 – Depth to Groundwater

A reduction in the separation from the soil absorption system to the groundwater table (4 feet requied, 3 feet proposed)

Local Regulations Section 4.60.2

A reduction in the required daily capacity of 400 gallons per day to 293 gallons per day.

Elizabeth S. Dunn, R.N., Chairman 09/02, 09/09

Town of Marion
Request for Qualifications
Existing Conditions Survey
The Town of Marion, acting through the Office of the Town Administrator and Chief Procurement Officer, invites Request for Qualifications seeking architectural assistance in providing the Town of Marion with professional building assessment services to accomplish all of the tasks under the various phases as noted within this RFQ. The focus of this study is to conduct an existing conditions survey, including an analysis and documentation of the current conditions; analysis of the current conditions highlighting any problem areas and/or opportunities for improvement; the issuance of a report to be used for long-range planning and budgeting purposes; and an in-depth analysis of the existing building windows with a resulting recommendation for a specific course of action for window repairs. Specifications are available in the Office of the Board of Selectmen, 2 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738. Qualified persons or firms are requested to submit proposals to the Town Administrator, Two Spring St., Marion, MA 02738 no later than 2:00 p.m. on Friday, September 17, 2010 The Town of Marion reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or parts of proposals; to waive any defects, information, and minor irregularities; to accept exceptions to these specifications; to award contracts or to cancel this Request for Qualifications if it is in the Town's best interest to do so.
Paul F. Dawson, CPO
Town Administrator 09/02

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, Septmber 13, 2010 at 6:30 PM in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by Susan & Alan Fine, c/o Waterman LLC, 7220 Winding Bay Lane, West Palm Beach, FL 33412. The proposed project is to raze existing house and construct new single-family residence located within coastal flood plain and within buffer zone of coastal bank and coastal dune. The project is located at 1 Waterman Street and is further identified as Lot 218 on Assessor Map 5A.
Conservation Commission 09/02

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
BOARD OF APPEALS
Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following applications:

Application of Simon & Lauren Kavanagh of 262 Chase Road, North Dighton, MA 02764 re property located at 8 Highland Avenue, Point Connett The applicants are seeking a Special Permit under Sections 3.1.2.2 and 3.1.2.3 of the Zoning By-Laws to demolish an existing dwelling and construct a new single-family dwelling. The property is further described as Plat 2A, Lots 17 and 20 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 16, 2010 at 6:00 PM #1183

Application of Diane M. Normand & Rene P. Rock of 55 Long Plain Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at the corner of Shore View Avenue and Windward Way. The applicants are seeking a Special Permit under Sections 6.2.2 and 6.5 of the Zoning By-Laws to construct a single-family dwelling. The property is further described as Plat 12, Lot 31 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, September 16, 2010 at 6:15 PM #1184

Application of Diane M. Normand & Rene P. Rock of 55 Long Plain Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at the corner of Mattapoisett Neck Road and Wind Way. The applicants are seeking a Special Permit under Sections 6.2.2 and 6.5 of the Zoning By-Laws to construct a single family dwelling. The property is further described as Plat 12, Lot 30 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall conference Room on Thursday, September 16, 2010 at 6:30 PM #1185

Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours.
Jeffrey R. Chase, Chairperson
Susan Akin
Paul Milott
Mary Anne Brogan
Norman Lyonnais 09/02, 09/09

takes place at Salerno's Seaside Facility, located at 196 Onset Avenue in Onset and begins at 6:30 pm.

The event also includes live entertainment, raffles, door prizes, region themed guest goodie bags, beer and wine tastings and a silent auction. Proceeds support Turning Point Day Resource Center, serving people in need from the communities of Wareham, Bourne, Carver, Middleboro, Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester. Funds also support the Massachusetts Children's Relief's Kid Komfort Kits, providing winter outerwear and clothing, as well as personal preference gifts for kids in need.

Due to the support of community businesses, Tastes and Sounds of China tickets will remain at last year's reduced prices; $35 prior to the event and $40 at the door from 5:00 to 7:30 pm. Tickets are available at Plymouth County Teachers Federal Credit Union, Music of the Bay, or by contacting Sally Morrison at 508-295-7410 or sammorrison@comcast.net.

BBBS Foundation Needs Donations

Big Brother Big Sister (BBBS) Foundation needs your help! Please donate your lightly used clothing, small household items, jeans, books, and shoes. The Foundation will be picking up donations door to door in Mattapoisett and Marion on Tuesday, **September 7**.

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LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 13, 2010 at 6:30 PM in the Town Hall on an Abbreviated Notice of Resource Area Delineation submitted by Jeanne Downey, 175 North St., Mattapoisett, MA 02739.

No work is being proposed, only approval of the resource area delineations. The project is located off Whaler's Way and is further identified as Lot 170 and 171 on Assessor Map 12.
Conservation Commission 09/02

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, September 13, 2010 at 6:30 p.m. in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on a Notice of Intent Application submitted on behalf of Peter J. & Jonathan B. Lawrence.

The Applicants propose to construct a Single Family Dwelling and crushed stone driveway, to install associated utilities and to fill and grade within Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage, and partially within a Bordering Vegetated Wetland. The project will also require the construction of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland Replication Area within Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage and within the 100 ft. Buffer Zone of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland and Intermittent Stream.

The project is located on Shawmut Road and Mattakisett Road and is further identified as Lots #86, #109 and #109A on Mattapoisett Assessors Map #15A.
Conservation Commission 09/02

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 13, 2010 at 6:30 PM in the Town Hall on an Abbreviated Notice of Resource Area Delineation submitted by Dave Nicolosi, 5 Perkins Lane, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.

No work is being proposed, only approval of the resource area delineations. The project is located off Fairhaven Road and is further identified as Lot 4, 5, 33, 34, 35, 42B on Assessor Map 21.
Conservation Commission 09/02

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, September 13, 2010 at 6:30 p.m. in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by Robert & Faith Ball, 10 Atkinson Way, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.

The Proposed project is to construct 17' x 20' deck at rear of house, located within buffer zone of wetlands.

The project is located at 10 Atkinson Way and is further identified as Lot 7 on Assessors Map 8.
Conservation Commission 09/02

LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF Rochester
Conservation Commission &
Town Forest Committee
A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, September 21, 2010 at 7:00 PM in the Town Hall Conference Room regarding a Request for Determination of Applicability filed by Herring Inspector William D. Watling, Jr. of the Town of Rochester, Town Hall,
1 Constitution Way, Rochester, MA 02770.
The applicant proposes to replace the existing inefficient wooden Denil fishway at Leonard's Pond to provide safe passage of anadromous fish.

The subject property is located off Mary's Pond Road in Rochester and is designated as Lot #2, on Assessors' Map #9. The property owner of record is Sippican Mill, LLC, 35 Tupelo Drive, Brewster, MA 02631. This hearing is being held under the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, MGL Ch. 131, Section 40 and the Town of Rochester Wetland Protection By-Law.
Rosemary T. Smith, Chairperson 09/02

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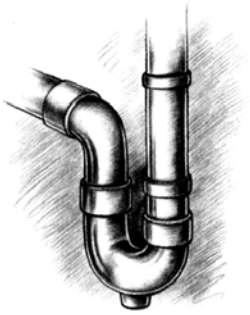
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• **How to Display Your Flag** – It is the universal custom to display the flag only from sunrise to sunset on buildings and on stationary flagstaffs in the open. However, when a patriotic effect is desired, the flag may be displayed 24-hours a day if properly illuminated during the hours of darkness. When displayed either horizontally or vertically against a wall, the union (or blue field) should be to the observer's left. When displayed in a window, the flag should be the same way, with the union to the left of the observer in the street. No other flag or pennant should be placed above or, if on the same level, to the right of the flag of the United States



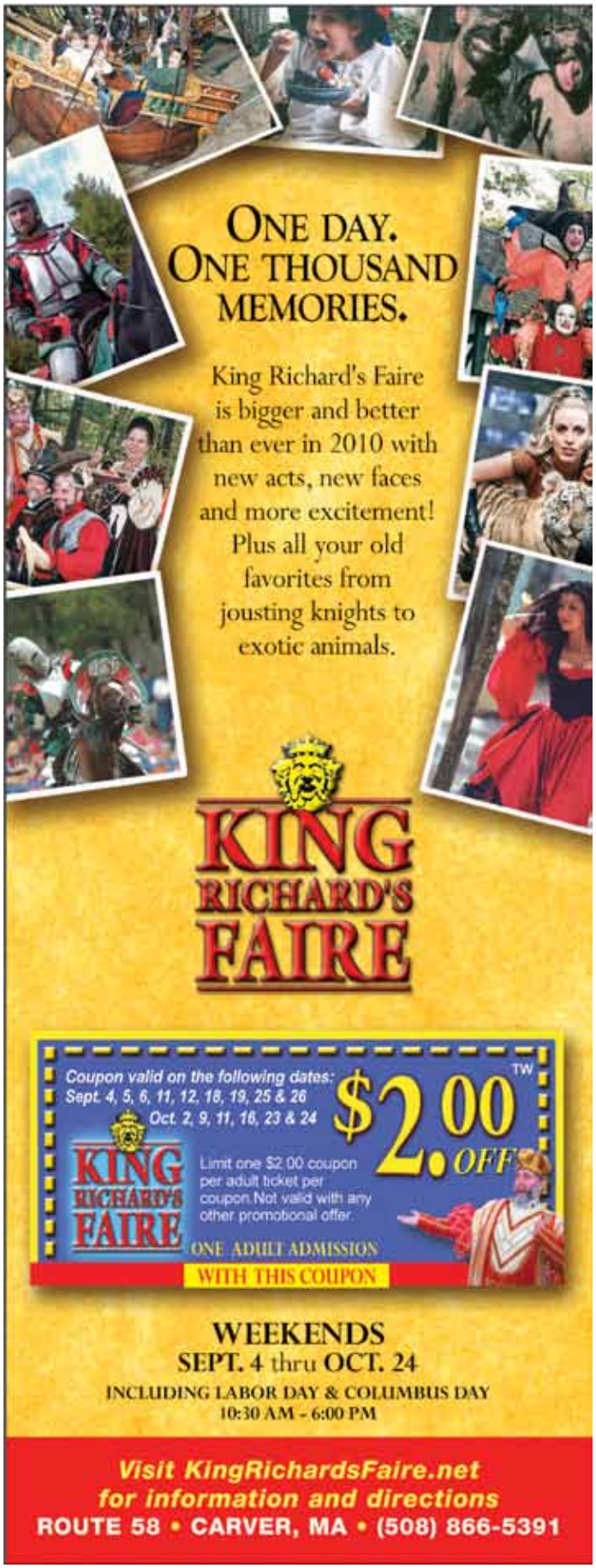
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Town of Marion Water Restrictions

The following mandatory water restriction will be in effect until **September 15**: Any outside watering is prohibited except between the hours of 6:00 and 8:00 am, and between the hours of 6:00 and 8:00 pm, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday for homes on the even-numbered side of the street. For homes on the odd-numbered side of the street, watering will be allowed on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday during the same hours. No watering is allowed on Sunday.

This restriction will be strictly enforced. Any person violating this state of water supply conservation by-law shall be liable to the Town in the amount of $50 for the first violation and $100 for each subsequent violation. If you have any questions, you are encouraged to contact the Department of Public Works at 508-748-3540.

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Remember to check The Wanderer each week so you will know who to wish a "Happy Birthday!"

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by Linda Thistle

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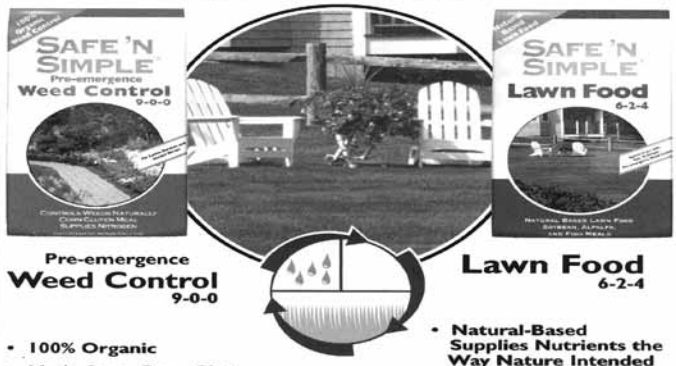


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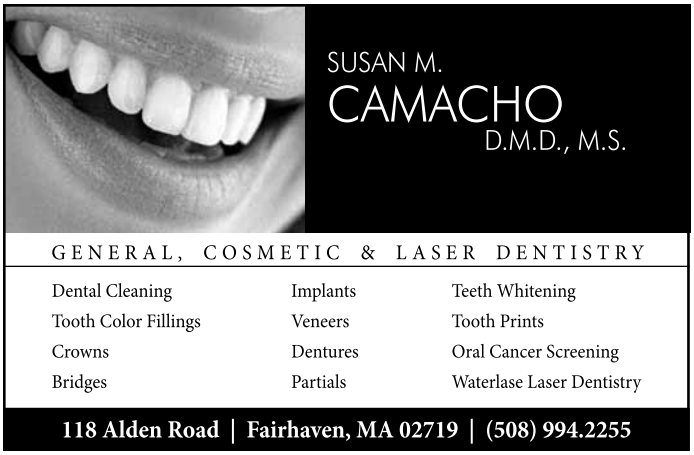
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Marion Art Center News

The Annual Membership Drive is underway. Membership is open to the public. Privileges include invitations to gallery openings and other special events, receiving quarterly newsletters, and discounts on theater and concert tickets and classes plus eligibility to participate in the semi-annual membership shows. Members are also eligible to rent the Center for special events, meetings, showers and birthday parties. Angels, Patrons, Donors and Sponsors are listed in the Playbills and in Newsletters.

• **Over the Past Year** – The Marion Art Center celebrates 53 years of serving the area as a unique community center for the arts. Last year, classes and lessons in music, art, dance and theater were offered year round. ARTSTART, a summer program for children completed its 25th year. The theater produced Gold in the Hills, Uncle Vanya, Rumors, and Love Changes Everything: A Musical Revue, plus Imagine - an American Girl musical, and Young People's theater shows: The Pied Piper, Goldilocks, The Midas Touch, and Realm Wars. MAC hosted the Halloween Parade and the Fourth of July float won first prize! Special Events included

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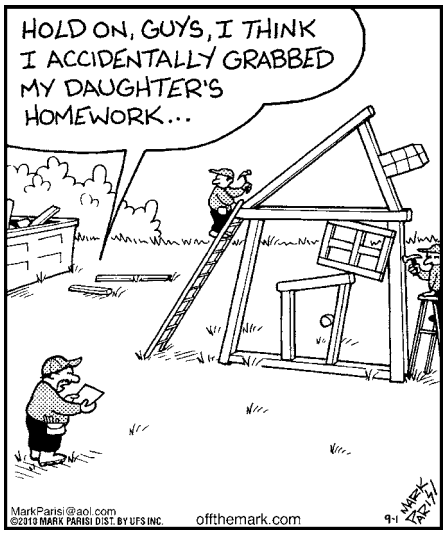
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Contributions are tax-deductible. The Marion Art Center can also accept gifts of appreciated stock. Community support assures the future of the arts in this area.

Fall Schedule – The Marion Art Center is offering the following classes for the fall. Please call 508-748-1266 to pre-register for all classes or email: marionartcenter@verizon.net.

• **Dance**: Term I – **September 13** to **December 13**. Preschool (ages 3 and 4) meets Mondays, 4:00 to 4:30 pm and will include introduction to ballet and tap. Kinderstep (ages 5 – 6) meets Mondays, 4:30 to 5:15 pm. Students will learn more ballet and tap techniques. Beginners (ages 7 – 9) meet Mondays, 5:15 – 6:00 pm and will explore barre work, positions and more ballet and tap. Teah Mazzoni Johnson is the instructor and begins her fourth year at the art center as choreographer and head of the Dance Academy. Tuition is $135/$150 for preschool, $150/$165 for Kinderstep and Beginners.

• **Children's Theater**: (ages 6 – 8) meets on Tuesdays, 4:30 to 5:30 pm. Session I is **September 7** to **October 12**. Session II is **October 19** to **November 23**. Each week the children will learn basic theater craft through drama games, readers' theater and experience the fun of the stage while rehearsing for a small production of selected "Fairy Tale" plays to be performed the last week of each session. Nancy Sparklin is the instructor and has been activity head of music art ARTSTART and assistant director/accompanist for many shows, most recently *Imagine, an American Girl Musical*. The fee for each six-week session is $75/$90.

• **Youth Theater**: (ages 9 – 12) will meet on Thrusdays, 4:30 to 6:00 pm, **September 9** to **November 18**. Students will learn basic theater craft through the process of putting on a production of **Not So Grimm Tales**, a humorous modernization of selected Grimm's fairy tales. The production will be on **November 19** at 7:30 pm. Nancy Sparklin, instructor. The fee for the 11-week session is $160/175.

• **Saturday Morning Art**: Term I: **September 11** to **October 16**, Term II: **October 23 – December 4**, 10 to 11:30 am. Kendra D'Angora is the instructor and returns after a successful summer session with a lot of energy and enthusiasm. The fee for each 6-week session is $150/$165. Most materials included.

• **Piano Lessons** for preschoolers are offered on Friday mornings with Jamie Wiksten, instructor. Piano lessons for beginners and intermediates are offered by appointment with Nancy Sparklin, instructor.

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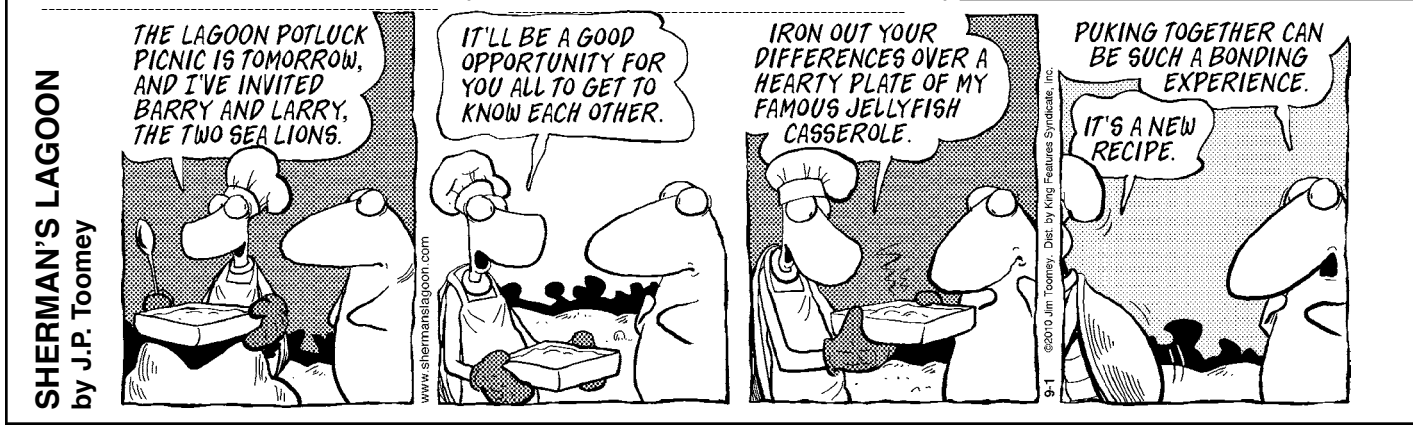
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The training sessions will introduce participants to what Hospice Care is all about and the importance of the role of the hospice volunteer.

For more information about our upcoming training on **September 18 and 19**, at Autumn Glen in North Dartmouth, contact Cecile Sanders at 508-717-0754 or by email csanders@communitynurse.com.

Fairhaven Walking Tours

This fall you can learn more about Fairhaven and its history by taking one of the tours offered on weekends in September and early October.

In addition to these weekend tours, the Office of Tourism will continue to offer its Thursday tours through the end of September. The Henry H. Rogers tour starts at the Visitors Center, 43 Center Street, at 10:00 am each Thursday. Fort Phoenix Minuteman Tours are given at the fort between 1:00 and 4:00 pm on Thursdays. The weekend tours are:

• **Poverty Point Walking Tour** – On Saturday, **September 11**, this tour begins at the Old Stone Schoolhouse, 40 North Street, Fairhaven at 2:00 pm. Take a guided, 90-minute walk with historian Christopher Richards through what was one of the earliest village settlements in Fairhaven. Learn about Manjiro Nakahama, Captain Joshua Slocum, Elder Joseph Bates and more. The Old Stone Schoolhouse will be open for viewing before the tour.

• **Fairhaven High School Tour** – On Saturday, **September 18**, at the Fairhaven High School, 12 Huttleston Ave. at 2:00 pm, take a guided tour of Fairhaven High School, the "Castle on the Hill", which was built by millionaire Henry H. Rogers and donated to the town in 1906. The tour, guided by Bob Foster, is sponsored by the FHS Alumni Association and lasts about 90 minutes. The tour starts inside the main entrance on the east side of the building. Donations to the Alumni Association are appreciated. For more information, email info@fairhavenalumni.org.

• **Fairhaven Center Walking Tour** – On Saturday, **September 25**, this tour begins at the Leonard E. Pierce Memorial Park, on the corner of South and Fort streets, in Fairhaven at 2:00 pm. This guided, 90-minute walk with Christopher Richards in Fairhaven center highlights the histories of some of the homes and buildings, dating from the 1830s to the beginning of the 20th Century. Learn about Henry H. Rogers, the Delano family, churches, "moving houses" and more.

• **Riverside Cemetery Tour** – On Sunday, **October 10**, this tour starts inside the main gate of Riverside Cemetery, 274 Main Street, Fairhaven at 2:00 pm. Created in 1850 by Warren Delano II, the grandfather of President Franklin Delano Roosevelt, this is one of the most beautiful rural-style cemeteries in Massachusetts. The tour visits the final resting places of some of the town's most prominent people. The Rogers mausoleum and the Delano family tomb are also on the route. You'll also see lovely examples of early tombstone art as you walk along the beautifully landscaped paths. This tour, guided by Christopher Richard, includes walking on uneven ground. Comfortable walking shoes are suggested.

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September 2:	Thurs.	2:21	2:44	7:33	9:29
September 3:	Fri.	3:23	3:51	8:49	10:42
September 4:	Sat.	4:30	4:59	10:04	11:33
September 5:	Sun.	5:34	6:02	11:11	. . .
September 6:	Mon.	6:32	6:57	12:17	12:11
September 7:	Tues.	7:25	7:49	1:00	1:07
September 8:	Wed.	8:15	8:38	1:43	2:02
September 9:	Thurs.	9:05	8:38	1:43	2:02
September 10:	Fri.	9:56	10:18	3:09	3:46
September 11:	Sat.	10:46	11:09	3:50	4:34
September 12:	Sun.	11:39	. . .	4:32	5:24
September 13:	Mon.	12:02	12:35	5:15	6:19
September 14:	Tues.	12:58	1:32	6:01	7:47
September 15:	Wed.	1:55	2:33	6:58	9:41
September 16:	Thurs.	2:56	3:37	8:19	10:41
September 17:	Fri.	4:00	4:41	10:15	11:23
September 18:	Sat.	5:03	5:39	11:09	11:51
September 19:	Sun.	5:57	6:28	11:48	. . .

Phases of the Moon		
	New Moon	September 8th
	First Quarter	September 15th
	Full Moon	September 23rd
	Last Quarter	October 1st

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